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CLASS 1912





FRIDAY, OCTOBER 22

- 4:00 p.m. *Tour of Campus*.....Conducted by Chimes and Alpha Phi Omega
7:00 p.m. *Game Rally and Fireworks*.....Ohio Stadium
8:00 p.m. *"The Green Adventure"*.....Speech Building Theater

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 23

- 9:00 a.m. *Tour of Campus*.....Conducted by Chimes and Alpha Phi Omega
10:00 a.m. *Homecoming Parade*.....Court Street
12:00 m. *Alumni Luncheon*University Center
1:30 p.m. *Parade of Winning Floats*.....Ohio Stadium
2:00 p.m. *Bobcats vs. Miami Football*.....Ohio Stadium
4:30 p.m. *President's Reception*.... . University Center—1804 Room
6:00 p.m. *Alumni Dinner*Dormitory Dining Halls
7:00 p.m. *Musical*Alumni Memorial Auditorium
8:00 p.m. *"The Green Adventure"*.....Speech Building Theater
9:00 p.m. *Homecoming Dance*.....University Center



*The Redskins air a comin'
And they'll be hyar mighty soon.
So Grab yer fightin' pennants
And yer coats of ol' raccoon*

*There's goin' ta be a battle
At the stockade of OU,
Betwixt them #-1.* Redskins
And Coach Widdoes' Bobcat crew.*

Circle October 23 as the date for a big . . .

Ohio University Homecoming

IT'S THE Ohio University Bobcats vs. the Miami Redskins on October 23, with a Homecoming program scaled to the biggest year of celebration in OU history.

Starting with a gigantic fireworks display and rally Friday night, October 22, and ending with the annual Homecoming Dance in the ballroom of the University Center, Homecoming, 1954, promises to be a gala alumni extravaganza of reunion, football, and celebration.

The fireworks display itself would easily warrant an early trek by alumni to the Sesqui Homecoming observance. Scheduled as a feature of the Friday night rally in the OU Stadium, the fireworks will spout intricate patterns of Bobcats, Indians, Cutler Tower, footballs, and many others.

Football

As for football! Add to the long-nurtured rivalry between Miami and Ohio the memory of last year's championship-deciding 7-7 tie, and you have the setting for the main event of the 1954 Homecoming.

Not to be overshadowed is the always-colorful Homecoming Parade down Court Street, with an encore presentation of winning floats preceding the football game at the stadium. Its theme centered on the 150th birthday of the university, together with the traditional prediction of gridiron glory, the parade

will have more participants than ever before.

This year there will be a luncheon and a dinner for alumni at the University Center, and efforts are being

The November ALUMNUS will feature pictures and coverage of Ohio University and alumni during the Homecoming celebration.

made to supply as much information as possible on room accommodations.

In the near future pamphlets containing application blanks for meals and Homecoming events, as well as the addresses of more than 40 local and area hotels, motels, and tourist homes, will be mailed to Ohio University alumni. Early reservations will be more desirable than ever for the big 1954 weekend.

Final sesquicentennial performances of Charles Allen Smart's historic drama, "The Green Adventure," with its cast of more than 100 persons, will be staged during the Homecoming week. Seats for Friday and Saturday night performances will be reserved for alumni, on a first come—first served basis.

President's Reception

After the football game President John C. Baker will hold a reception for alumni in the 1804 Room of the Uni-

versity Center. The popular annual event gives alumni an opportunity to meet with faculty members and such respected Emeriti Professors as Dr. Hiram Roy Wilson.

Campus Tours

Because of the tremendous physical change at OU during the past few years, campus tours, conducted by Chimes and Alpha Phi Omega, will be offered Friday afternoon and Saturday morning. As before, buildings will be opened for alumni who want to look over the campus.

A special musicale is being prepared by the OU Music Department for presentation at 7 p.m. Saturday. It is being scheduled so as not to interfere with the Saturday showing of "The Green Adventure" or the Homecoming Dance.

The entire University Center is being opened for the dance, and music will be piped to all rooms and corridors.

Souvenirs

Special Sesquicentennial football souvenir programs will be sold at the football game. Other souvenirs, including plates, ash trays, playing cards, and medallions, will be available at the University Center.

The date is October 22-23, the time is Homecoming, and the opponent is Miami.

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THE COVER

As familiar to Ohio University alumni as the steps on which he poses is Clark E. Williams, '21, revered secretary of the Alumni Association for the past 32 years. With the innumerable accomplishments of his long career in alumni affairs remaining in his stead, Mr. Williams leaves the Alumni Office this year to assume other university duties (see story on page 13).

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a personal contact

IN THE AUGUST, 1922 issue of the *Ohio University Bulletin*, forerunner of *The Ohio Alumnus*, the executive committee introduced a new alumni secretary, Clark E. Williams. In the story, the committee expressed the belief that the young graduate of 1921 would "do big things for Ohio University." They could not have been more correct.

For 32 years Clark Williams has been the spark behind a growing Alumni Association. Those who have graduated and joined the association have quickly become familiar with his work. Not only has he managed alumni affairs, served as university editor, and edited (for 27 years) *The Ohio Alumnus*, but he has provided a genuine personal contact that few persons could duplicate. It would be difficult to estimate the number of OU graduates whom Clark Williams knows personally, but the figure would be unbelievably high.

To say that Clark Williams has promoted the Alumni Association would be an understatement. The results of his personal efforts have been witnessed by every graduate who has returned to a reunion, or just dropped in at the office to say hello. The *Alumnus* owes its existence to him. The 21,907 men and women who have graduated since he became secretary (89 per cent of all grads in OU's history) have known him as "Mr. Alumni Association."

Fortunately, alumni will not actually lose contact with Clark Williams now that he has relinquished his position as alumni secretary to become university editor and associate director of admissions (see page 13). In the latter capacity he will continue to work with the many alums who will be sending children to the campus.

Fortunately too, alumni have an experienced captain, who has already proved his ability as an alumni pilot, taking over the secretarial helm. Already known to OU alumni throughout the nation, Martin L. Hecht, the new secretary, has worked extensively in organizing local groups and in the development of the Alumni Sesquicentennial Scholarship Fund, while serving as associate alumni secretary and associate director of the Ohio University Fund, Inc.

A 1946 graduate of OU, the new secretary has been on the administrative staff since 1948. He is a native of East Cleveland, where he graduated from Shaw High School before attending Ohio University for three years prior to being drafted in 1941. As a master sergeant in the Air Force, he spent two of his four years in service in the China-Burma-India theater. After his discharge, he returned to OU, and received a bachelor of science in commerce degree in 1946.

In 1948 "Marty" was named personnel director at the university, and the following year he



MARTIN L. HECHT

became assistant alumni secretary. He has been associate secretary since 1951.

Alumni who know Marty Hecht are certain the advancement of the Alumni Association, so ably directed by Clark Williams, will continue.

calcium needed

WITH THE BEGINNING of another publishing year we want to send a hearty greeting to all our readers and welcome to the ranks of the Alumni Association the graduates of 1954. We have a lot of hopes and plans for the forthcoming issues of the magazine, and will be looking forward again to the cooperation of our subscribers.

Most graduates will probably agree that the backbone of a good alumni magazine is the news of fellow alumni. We hope that you enjoy the feature articles which we try to plan with your interests in mind, but we have no intention of underestimating the value of the small but important items found in the class notes.

And since the calcium pills that build that backbone are the cards, letters, and photos sent in by you we are depending on your support for the continued good health of the magazine.

It may seem somewhat contradictory to say that we are forced to continue the policy of omitting wedding pictures, but, to steal a Duranteism, "Dat's da situation which prevails." With the ever increasing number of alumni, it is impossible to include all wedding photos, and certainly unfair to select a few.

That problem is not ours alone. Many alumni publications have even had to drop wedding and birth announcements. A glance at the list of births in the June *Alumnus* gives an indication of their reasons. Believing in the tremendous interest in both, however, we refuse to follow suit, and will continue to report both births and marriages, unless you, the readers, object.

new staff member

THIS MONTH the *Alumnus* welcomes to its staff a young photographer who received his Masters Degree at OU in August. Doug Wetherholt, who has done several outstanding photos for the magazine, including the June cover, has been appointed university photographer. As such he will serve as chief photographer of the *Alumnus* as well as photographer for the university.

Doug, who hails from Gallipolis, has practically grown up a journalist. His father, H. W. Wetherholt, has been editor of *The Gallipolis Tribune* since 1926, and Doug has helped out around the newspaper office almost since he was old enough to walk.

Since receiving a B. S. Degree in journalism at OU in 1951, the new *Alumnus* photographer has worked two years as a reporter-photographer for the *Tribune* and the *Cambridge Jeffersonian*, in addition to completing his graduate work.



JOSEPH B. HALL

OHIO UNIVERSITY'S Board of Trustees will be headed during the coming year by the president of The Kroger Company, Joseph B. Hall. A member of the board since October, 1951, Mr. Hall was elected chairman at a Trustees' meeting in June. His regular term as a board member runs until May 14, 1956.

Mr. Hall, whose home is in Cincinnati, was born in Harvey, Illinois. After graduating from high school he went to work for Gordon Strong and Company, a Chicago real estate management company. As a Strong Educational Foundation scholarship student, he attended the University of Chicago, where he was elected to Phi Beta Kappa, and won varsity letters in track. Subsequently he became national 440-yard hurdle champion.

Following his college graduation in 1921, Mr. Hall worked in the meat packing and real estate businesses. In 1931 he became general manager of the Kroger real estate department in Cincinnati, where he participated in the early stages of Kroger's development into supermarket operations. He was elected president of the company in March, 1946.

Mr. Hall is married and has three children — a girl and two

boys. He is a veteran of World War I. A frequent and able golfer, he also was until recently an active handball enthusiast.

In addition to being chairman of the OU Board of Trustees, he is a trustee of Christ Hospital and the Cincinnati Institute of Fine Arts; a member of the Business Advisory Council of the U. S. Department of Commerce and the Advisory Committee on Fiscal Organization of the Department of Defense.

A member of the Hoover Commission's Committee on Business Organization of the Department of Defense, he was recently named Chairman of the Subcommittee on Business Enterprise.

Mr. Hall is president of Manufacturers and Merchants Indemnity Co. and Selective Insurance Co. He is a member of the Executive Committee of the Citizens Development Committee of Cincinnati, and of the boards of directors of the Avco Manufacturing Corporation, the Cincinnati and Suburban Bell Telephone Co., Crosley Broadcasting Corporation, Robert A. Cline, Inc., General Stores Corporation, Cincinnati Branch Federal Reserve Bank, Little Miami Railroad, Community Chest of Cincinnati and Hamilton County.

Who Should Go To College?

Each year thousands of American youths face the choice of pursuing higher education or going directly into employment. Only half of those with the aptitude to profit by college education seek it, while many with limited ability go on to college.

By Dr. George E. Hill

HIGHER EDUCATION is inescapably linked with our elementary and secondary system of education, and the question of who should attend college is not the exclusive concern of any educational group. Nor can the problems met in seeking answers to this question be solved in anything less than an atmosphere of mutual respect, understanding, and neighborliness.

There are many things that a state university can do that will promote such an atmosphere. Some of these we now are doing: Making it possible for high schools to send their students to the campus for various activities, visiting high schools to talk with their students, sending them materials describing the university's programs.

The university's services to the public schools are making real contributions to the improvement of educational opportunities. Improvements in our program of teacher education so that we may send better qualified teachers into the field represent still another way in which the university is helping to up-grade educational opportunities.

Guidance Needed

All of these, and other channels of service, will, in the long run, do much to create such changes as are needed to help youth make wiser and better choices.

However, a crucial need in our elementary and secondary schools—not to

mention the colleges—is for better guidance services. An atmosphere that brings educational processes to bear effectively in meeting the needs and concerns of the individual child is most apt to produce decisions that are sensible and mature.

Such an atmosphere will encourage self-examination, an objective study of the world of education and of work, discussion with counselors and with peers of the puzzling problems of planning one's life.

This type of planning should begin early and be intensified at points where major choices should be made. This is but one phase of an effective school program, but one with which the university needs to be especially concerned in its relations with the lower schools.

Who should attend college? At best those who have had a chance to mature their decision in a program of effective guidance services.

Present processes of sifting out those who will go to college result in great waste of talents. We cannot, of course, accept a system of selection and channeling which fixes the course for each child without his right to free choice. Yet manpower utilization has become a matter of the survival of free institutions, and must, in some way, be balanced with the inherent right of free people to make their own choices.

There is only one possible way to mediate these concerns. That is through the provision of all possible means to

make a fuller education for all as attractive and as desirable as possible.

Abilities Vary

Studies show that of the many high school seniors who have the ability to profit by college education, only about half of them seek it. At the same time, a significant number of youngsters of limited ability go on to college. The mental ability of college freshmen varies greatly from one college to another.

There are two concerns which arise from this fact. One is the fear that, with so many students of limited mental ability, the standards of the colleges will be damaged. In general our higher institutions seem to have been content to let any college adjust its level of instruction to its students.

What is probably a more pressing problem is that of the proper educational opportunities available to students of widely varying abilities within a given state university. Certainly a university must have some means of eliminating the less able or some program for educating them. Most universities have both.

In this connection some cast serious doubt on the wisdom of the colleges placing such exclusive emphasis, in assessing potential college ability, on literary facility and verbal comprehension and reasoning. There are other highly specialized talents of great importance to our society which need development beyond the secondary schools and which are apt to be neglected in the search



DR. GEORGE E. HILL

SINCE 1950, Dr. George E. Hill has been conducting a study of the post-high school educational experiences of 400 Southeastern Ohio youth. Many of his findings have been incorporated, to a de-

gree, in this article, as well as other papers the Ohio University professor of education has prepared.

A native of Michigan, Dr. Hill graduated from Albion College, and received both his M. A. and Ph. D. Degrees from Northwestern University. Before coming to OU in 1948, he taught school in Michigan and Illinois, and served as professor, dean, director of graduate studies, and director of student personnel services at (successively) The University of Pennsylvania, Morningside College, Kansas State Teachers College, and Macalester College.

Dr. Hill has just been appointed chairman of the Committee on High School and College Relations of the North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools. He is also a member of the association's Commission on Research and Service.

for talented youth by our higher institutions.

The second concern, which arises from the spread of abilities among college youth, and the consequent loss of many able young people, is what, if anything, should be done about superior youngsters who go directly from high school into employment.

No method could be tolerated that drafted able youth into college. But have we exhausted the available, legitimate means of bringing these students to a clearer understanding of themselves, their potentialities, and their responsibilities?

These young people of ability who do not seek further education have certain well-known and distinguishable characteristics. In Ohio and elsewhere:

They come chiefly from homes of below average income and social status.

They come from farms far more often than from cities.

Their parents usually have not attended college.

Far too often, they do not understand their own abilities, lack confidence in themselves, and are poorly informed regarding the various opportunities open to them in the university.

They are under-motivated regarding education.

Actually ten per cent of superior youth do not even finish high school.

These characteristics, which do not invariably apply to all bright youngsters who do not attend college, add up to

barriers to college attendance too high for them to surmount.

Barriers Must Be Removed

This means, among many other things, that the universities have an obligation to make it possible for more young people of limited means but good abilities to get a college education. This means that artificial and real barriers to higher education must be removed as rapidly as possible. Barriers of ignorance, fear, misinformation, and prejudice will require the joint efforts of all schools through instruction and advisement.

Barriers of financial cost require expansion of scholarships and the broadening of the base of financial aids to include students who do not now qualify for scholarships but whose needs and promise warrant assistance.

Who should attend college? No one should fail to attend because we have not had the good sense and the courage to overcome needless barriers to the full use of talent.

Most of the state universities have, in the past two decades especially, expanded their offerings in the face of broadening demands for various new kinds of training. This includes developments such as the two-year terminal programs at Ohio University.

It also involves new specialized training facilities to meet new needs in business, industry, government, science, and other social services. These developments have had the inevitable effect of attracting more young people to the universities. This trend will no doubt con-

tinue. In fact, it is hard to believe that much expansion of educational offerings can be expected of the private colleges.

The state university is already committed to the principle that the legitimate and pressing educational demands of an expanding society will have to be met largely through tax-supported education and that young people have the right to attend who can show aptitude for these new programs of collegiate education.

Adult Education

Attending college is not the only way in which people can develop their talents, broaden their intellectual horizons, and deepen their sense of social responsibility. The American people have shown considerable talent for experimenting with educational provisions outside the auspices of the organized schools and colleges.

In fact, far too often informal means of education have been developed by non-school agencies because school people were too conservative or too lazy to take the leadership themselves. In business, industry, and the professions there is wide-spread recognition of the need for in-service education on the job. In the community at large the adult education movement has brought cultural opportunities to millions of people who cannot return to school for full-time education.

In both of these developments some colleges and universities have provided leadership and facilities. This is a phase of the expanding opportunity of the university that lies largely outside the province of this article. However, it would be a serious omission not to mention it.

Who should attend college? If we define "college" in the broad sense of any university-sponsored educational facility, there are great untapped reservoirs of students eager for further education if it can be brought to them. The least the universities can do is to train more young people to be able to provide leadership in adult education as well as to be effective workers and citizens in the usual sense.

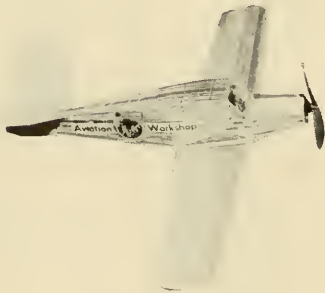
"Who should attend college" is not a matter of picking the "right" students by some improved formula. As a matter of fact, selection based upon required high school subjects has been proven by scores of investigations to be untrustworthy.

What is needed is that we bring about improvements in our whole educational system so that, ultimately, all of the "right" students find in higher education the proper fulfillment of their abilities and their purposes.



Model plane competition plays an important part in an aviation workshop designed to provide . . .

An Understanding Of The Air Age



THE AMERICAN PUBLIC is not air age conscious. That is the considered opinion of Air Force officials who are deeply concerned with what they call a dangerous lack of interest in aviation.

Junior may like to run around the back yard in his space helmet, but when he reaches the age where he can become a pilot he is no longer interested in flying. In an age where air flight is "shrinking" the world, such a situation is far from healthy from the standpoint of national security, the Air Force contends.

Many reasons have been offered for this alarming teen-age rejection of avia-

tion. Some believe modern air speeds simply scare off prospective pilots. Others are of the opinion that air flight has become so common place the glamour has worn off.

The Air Force, however, has its own opinion. The average youth, Air officials believe, does not have the opportunity to learn enough about the importance of aviation. Although he reads and hears about airplanes and new speed records, he doesn't really find out enough details to realize the basic significance of all these advancements in flying.

Believing that more knowledge of air flight will lead to a keener interest in flying careers, the Air Force has started



Workshoppers watched glider demonstrations; were amazed at maneuverability.



An authentic briefing session preceded flights at Lockbourne Air Force Base.



Control tower offered view of base.



ORIENTATION FLIGHTS in four engined DC-97 tanker-bombers concluded the comprehensive tour of Lockbourne. During the 90-minute flights officers described the handling of heavy aircraft and the intricate procedure of refueling jet fighters while the planes are in flight. Earlier the group had seen the latest developments in Air Force photography used in the processing of reconnaissance films.



WORKSHOP LEADERS paused in front of one of the light planes which took students on tours of Southeastern Ohio. Kneeling, left to right, are C. E. A. Brown, director of the State Aviation Board, and Maj. Joseph Ferris of the OU Air ROTC faculty. Behind them are Dr. C. L. Dow, workshop director; Richard Allison, aviation consultant; Dr. Robert Rudd, assistant workshop director; and Richard Burwell of the Aviation Board.

a program of enlightenment. The result is a series of aviation workshops, one of which was held for the first time at Ohio University in July.

Featuring such noted speakers as Jacqueline Cochran, the country's leading aviatrix, the workshop offered high school teachers and students up-to-date information on air flight, as well as orientation flights in both light and heavy aircraft.

Richard Allison, an aviation consultant from Columbus who assisted in the presentation of the workshop, stressed the value of getting high school teachers to attend. "From first-graders on, stu-

dents can be taught the importance of aviation in the regular pattern of school work," he said.

Formulas for injecting this knowledge into the grade and high school curriculum were outlined by Allison and other aviation specialists.

Other highlights included an afternoon's tour of Southeastern Ohio in single engine planes, demonstrations of glider flight, and the construction of model planes by each of the 30 workshoppers.

Keeping their promise to present a detailed analysis of aviation, Air Force officials hosted workshoppers at Lock-

bourne Air Force Base in Columbus, where the group toured extensive photography laboratory facilities used to process reconnaissance films, attended a complete pre-mission briefing, then went on 90-minute flights in four-motored tanker-bombers.

Dr. C. L. Dow, director of the workshop, was assisted by Dr. Robert Rudd, Maj. Joseph Ferris, and Richard Burwell. Co-sponsors of the program were the U. S. Air Force, the Civil Air Patrol, United and TWA commercial airlines, the Ohio Aviation Board, and the OU Department of Geography and Geology.



OU's journalism workshop was largest of kind in country.



Young photographers learned new techniques.

Workshop in plastic design produced artistic handiwork.





Economic Education Workshopers studied free-enterprise.



Three sessions were offered by the OU Music Department.



Some workshops were concluded with recognition banquets.



High School debaters polished oratory at summer clinic.

Workshopping For Knowledge

THE SUMMER WORKSHOP program, meeting increasing popularity throughout the nation, reached a new high at OU this summer. Combining the merits of adult education with supplemental student training, workshops are finding favor in widespread fields.

Ohio bankers, utilizing the summer program plan, held their first "Ohio School of Banking" on the campus, to help train young employees for executive futures. More than 700 high school students learned methods of improving school publications at a journalism workshop, largest of its kind in the country.

Musicians, teachers, administrators, and economists used university facilities to carry out summer educational programs in workshops lasting from three days to three weeks.

Aspiring radio artists gave programs over campus station



Always popular are Ohio Valley Summer Theatre productions.



Auld Acquaintance Not Forgot

A LITTLE MORE than 40 years ago a group of 19 Ohio University coeds vowed to keep in touch with each other by mail after they graduated.

A familiar refrain? If all students who make such a pledge carried out their good intentions, the post office department would be out of debt.

What makes the story unusual, however, can be summed up in three words. They did it.

Although some of the group have never seen each other since graduation, not one has reneged, and today the letters continue to circulate regularly. This despite the fact that the friends are now as widely separated as Oregon, Florida, North Carolina, and Michigan.

The idea originated with Mrs. W. A. Murdock, then Lillian Cronacher, who graduated in 1911. Thinking that the warm friendship of college days should not end with graduation, she organized a "Round Robin club." By circulating a round-robin letter, she reasoned, each club member would be able to keep in touch with the others by writing only one letter, rather than 18 separate ones.

After leaving OU, Mrs. Murdock started by writing a letter telling all about her activities since graduation. She sent it to another member who in turn added news of herself and sent the two letters to the next person on the list.

With each club member adding her own news, the letters soon totalled 19. Then as the package continued to make the circuit, each person removed her old letter and added a new one.

And that is the way the correspondence has continued for nearly half a century. Only twice has the package of letters been lost, and each time Mrs. Murdock, now a resident of Ironton, has promptly started it again.

One temporary interruption came when one of the ladies was in Europe. Evidently the package was forwarded to her and was lost somewhere enroute.

The other break occurred in Athens, and is a standing joke that club members enjoy poking at one of their group, Mary Connett, '11, who is dean of girls at Athens High School. Miss Connett, it seems, emptied her waste basket into the fire one day, only to discover too late that the round robin letter had

somehow fallen in among the debris.

Again the links were put quickly together and the chain of letters assembled.

Club members like to reminisce about the steady change in news that has circulated throughout the years. They recall how the letters first contained news about boy friends, then husbands, later children, and now grandchildren. Many of the husbands are also OU alumni, and they too enjoy reading the letters, which arrive about once each nine months.

Only one of the group is no longer living. She is Mrs. F. A. Ogden (Catherine Thompson, '08), who died in 1920.

In addition to Mrs. Murdock and Miss Connett, the group includes Mrs. John Farson (Sylvia Moore, '05), Columbus; Mrs. Don Coultrap (Charlotte Ullom, '08), Columbus; Mrs. E. L. Mahaffey (Adelaide Swisher), Upper Arlington; Miss Clare Humphrey, '08, Toledo; Mrs. John Finnicum (Mildred Eaton, '09), Sarasota, Florida; Mrs. Raymond Crisp (Inez Collins, '10), Cuya-

hoga Falls; Mrs. Parker Vickery (Harriet Kelly, '11), Fayetteville, North Carolina; Mrs. Horton Pownall (May McCombs, '11), Portland, Oregon; Mrs. Ben C. Gerwick (Bernice Coultrap, '08), Berkeley, California; Mrs. Marguerite Gates (Marguerite Sutherland, '12), Oakland, California; Mrs. V. E. LeRoy (Edith Palmer, '09), East Lansing, Michigan; Mrs. Frank B. Gullum (Eve Mitchell, '11), Athens; Mrs. Lawrence Morse (Ione Perkins, '10), Emporia, Kansas; Mrs. E. C. Waters (Blanche Wolfe, '13, Shaker Heights); Mrs. Aldis A. Johnson (Mary Simon, '08), Council Bluffs, Iowa; and Mrs. Rhys D. Evans (Mary Chapple, '09), Akron.

Nine of the women were re-united at the Commencement Weekend reunion in June, for the largest single club gathering since the letters started.

But each member knows what the others have done since leaving Ohio University, and the good friends have never really parted.

ROUND ROBIN CLUB members who got together at OU this summer are, seated, left to right, Mrs. Lawrence Morse, Mrs. E. C. Waters, Mrs. Aldis A. Johnson, and Mrs. Rhys D. Evans. Standing, same order, are Mrs. W. A. Murdock, Mrs. V. E. LeRoy, and Mrs. Frank B. Gullum.



An Alumni Biography

After directing alumni affairs for 32 years, Clark Williams leaves his secretarial post.



IF ALL THE accomplishments of the Ohio University Alumni Association during the past 32 years could be gathered into a single volume, the book would read like a biography of Clark E. Williams. For surely the two go hand in hand.

A sincere and capable leader who has directed the growth of the alumni group since it was an infant with less than six chapters, Ohio University's first full-time alumni secretary leaves his office this year to become associate director of admissions and university editor.

Martin L. Hecht, '46, associate secretary since 1951, has been named successor to Mr. Williams as alumni secretary.

When interviewed for an article for *THE OHIO ALUMNUS* a few years ago, Earl C. Shively, '21, Columbus attorney, then a trustee of Ohio University, declared that "Ohio University is as much a part of me as my name."

Clark Williams, a classmate of the Columbus man, could easily say the same. Since the age of five, when he came to Athens from Washington Court House, he has had close association with Ohio University and many persons identified with it. The relationship started early when he attended the

University Elementary School (the Model School in those days), first in the basement of Ewing Hall, where the School of Journalism is now located, and later in Ellis Hall.

He says that he and his twin brother, the late Dwight E. Williams, '22, of Jackson, Miss., had the "questionable" pleasure of going to school to their sister, Mrs. Bruce Lineburg (Winifred Williams, '11), who was for many years a critic teacher in the fourth grade of the elementary school.

"Sis always had to lean over backwards in the matter of discipline in order to avoid a charge of favoritism," he recalls.

An uncle of the former secretary was Dr. Henry G. Williams, dean of the State Normal College, now the College of Education, from 1903 to 1915. Through his uncle and students who roomed in his mother's home, Clark kept abreast of campus events and activities.

In 1916 young Clark Williams graduated from Athens High School and enrolled at OU. His college career was interrupted for a time during World War I when he joined the Army. Commissioned a second lieutenant after training at Ft. Sheridan, Ill., Camp Sherman,

Ohio, and Ft. Meade, Md., he served as head of a small Student Army Training Corps unit at East Tennessee State Normal School, Johnson City, Tenn.

After the war Clark returned to Ohio University where he became president of the sophomore class, and later, president of the senior class. In 1921 he graduated with the degree of Bachelor of Arts.

For one year he taught at Athens High School. Then in June, 1922, he was invited by President Elmer Burritt Bryan to become the first full-time alumni secretary at Ohio University. Alumni work had previously been directed on a part-time basis by Dr. C. L. Martzloff, '07, professor of history.

The new secretary's first activities were related to the campaign to raise funds for the Alumni Memorial Auditorium which was initiated under Dr. Martzloff and upon which he (Martzloff) was working at the time of his final illness.

In 1922, the year of Mr. Williams' appointment, OU's new seven-man board of trustees (plus old life-time appointees) became operative. Also in that year, President Bryan and the trustees adopted the policy of limiting the number of

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THE WILLIAMS FAMILY, left to right, are Barbara, an OU junior; Carolyn; Mrs. Williams, the former Marie Jewett, '22; Mr. Williams; and Clark, Jr. Twins Carolyn and Clark, Jr. are sophomores at Athens High School

women students and taking steps to encourage the attendance of men. The balance was then 2 to 1 in favor of the women.

Purchase Men's Union

"One of the first of these steps was the purchase of the Masonic Temple to be used as a Men's Union Building," Mr. Williams recalls. By the end of the school year, President Bryan had been largely instrumental in securing from the state legislature the largest appropriation in two decades, which included funds for a men's gymnasium and an engineering building.

That year, 1922, also saw a strengthening of the faculty, with the coming of such persons as Dean T. C. McCracken of the College of Education; Prof. C. C. Robinson, head of the School of Music; O. C. Bird, director of athletics and head of the physical education program; Dr. J. P. Porter, head of the psychology department; Dr. C. E. Cooper, head of the geography department. New faculty members also included Prof. Raymer McQuiston, in English; Dr. Wilmer C. Harris, history; Dr. H. G. Good, education; Neil D. Thomas, '22, civil engineering; and LaVinia Warner, '18, special education.

Upon taking office, Clark Williams assumed the editorship of the alumni magazine, which was then known as *The Ohio University Bulletin*. It had a small format and was published seven times a year. Prof. C. N. Mackinnon, now oldest member of the faculty in point of service, was a regular contributor, with a column under the heading, "The Filling Station." The annual budget for the magazine, plus a lot of other not-too-related expenses, was \$790.

Clark retained the magazine editorship until 1952 when it was taken over by Robert W. McCreanor, '48, MS, '49.

Going back to the early days of his editorship, Clark remembers that Robert S. Soule, '23, was president of the senior class; that Dr. Don D. Tullis, '98, later a national president of the Alumni Association, gave the Founders' Day address; and that the commencement speaker was Dr. Payson Smith, commissioner of education for Massachusetts. The June alumni luncheon was held in the banquet room of the Men's Union, with James P. Wood, '03, Alumni Association president, as the speaker.

From a half dozen organized alumni centers in 1922, the number increased to more than 30 by World War II. In 1929-30, a typical pre-war year, one or more meetings were held in each of 27 centers.

"A number of these were formal affairs," the former secretary recalls, "and in most instances dinner clothes were worn by the chapter officers and the campus guests."

Local group activities were at that time being carried on in Akron, Canton, Cincinnati, Cleveland, Columbus, Dayton, Gallipolis, Lima, Marion, Marietta, Newark, Niles, Pomeroy, Steubenville, Youngstown, and Zanesville, in Ohio. Out-of-state centers were Charleston, Huntington, Clarksburg, and Wheeling, W. Va.; Philadelphia; Pittsburgh; Chicago; Detroit; Los Angeles; New York City; and Washington, D. C.

With the onset of World War II the local club program was adversely affected by the curtailment of travel facilities and a general feeling that this type of program should give way, to a

degree, to activities more essential to the promotion of the war effort.

It was not until after the war and until assistance was given through the appointment of Martin L. Hecht as associate alumni secretary that the local club program again received the attention that its importance merited.

"The Alumni Office was for many years inadequately staffed to meet the demands put upon it by an ever-growing alumni body," Mr. Williams says. "In the early days, also, funds for general operations were often embarrassingly and restrictively inadequate." The former secretary adds, however, that "the memory of those years grows less painful as time passes."

On June 30, 1927, Mr. Williams married an Ohio University girl and fellow Athenian, Miss Marie E. Jewett, '22, who was at that time teaching in Athens High School. They are now the parents of three children: Barbara, a junior at Ohio University; and Carolyn and Clark, Jr., twins, who are sophomores in Athens High.

In 1931, supervision of the University News Bureau was assigned to the Alumni Secretary. This "extra-curricular" chore continued to be a part of his duties until 1938.

University Editor

Adding weight to an already heavy program, the title and responsibilities of University Editor were added to those of Mr. Williams in 1940. That meant



A YOUNG Ohio University graduate with one year's teaching experience, Clark E. Williams became the University's first full-time alumni secretary in 1922.

To Ohio University Alumni:

As is being pointed out elsewhere on these pages, I am no longer directly connected with the Alumni Office, having, on July 1, assumed new duties and the title of Associate Director of Admissions and University Editor.

It was with mingled emotions that I closed out 32 years of work as your alumni secretary. One cannot come to the end of such a relatively long period of service without looking backward and recalling, with pain or pleasure, the failures and successes that have attended his efforts. That there have been some failures, I am quite certain. If there have been any successes, it is not for me to point them out.

At any rate, the years have been exceedingly happy ones, made so by the privilege of knowing and working with thousands of wonderful persons. I shall never cease to be grateful for the opportunity for such contacts.

I am looking forward to the new work with pleasant anticipation, for in it I shall have continued opportunities to meet and serve Ohio University alumni whom I have known over the years. Many of these will be sending sons and daughters — and before long grandsons and granddaughters — to the campus for enrollment.

In the first editorial that I wrote for the alumni magazine in August, 1922, I said, in part: "With the advent of a new regime a statement of policy and plans for the future may well be expected. As to policy, it will be that of maintaining a close and friendly relationship between the great body of alumni and former students and the University in whatever ways and by whatever means

that friendship can be fostered and maintained. Ohio University cannot function properly without the loyal interest and cooperation of its alumni. On the other hand, the University is not willing that her sons and daughters shall entirely forget their alma mater."

I am happy in the thought that words or deeds of mine, perhaps have been instrumental in bringing some of you closer to your alma mater.

In closing my career as an alumni officer, I not only want to express appreciation to all of you for the warm-hearted support and helpfulness of past years, but also to ask that you give the same cordial support to my successor, Marty Hecht, in the days ahead.

I should be ungrateful in the worst degree if I were not to acknowledge a great indebtedness to Miss Geraldine Hope, my personal secretary for the 32 years. I lack words to express appreciation for the loyalty and efficiency that marked her services. Many a person, however, will understand and appreciate my feelings.

Finally, I would ask that you all re-pledge allegiance to our alma mater, remembering that no one of us, or all of us, is Ohio University.

"The University," as President Elmer Burritt Bryan once stated, "is a spiritual thing, born of the spirit and nurtured by the spirit. If the buildings of Ohio University should be destroyed in an hour by fire or earthquake, the University would live on. It dwells in the hearts of men and women in the form of ideals, loyalty, and the spirit of sacrifice. Without this spirit, an institution may exist as a temporal thing; with it, it becomes immortal."

Clark E. Williams, '21



GERALDINE C. HOPE, '22, has served as secretary to Clark Williams during his entire 32-year tenure at the administrative head of the Alumni Association.

presentation of a certificate of merit for service to his alma mater.

At the recent annual conference of the A.A.C. held in Edgewater Park, Miss., Mr. Williams was the oldest (in point of service) member present in an organization that now enrolls representatives of more than 600 institutions of higher learning.

Competent Assistance

During the entire 32 years of his service, Clark has enjoyed the capable assistance of Miss Geraldine Hope, '22, who has served as his staff secretary.

To the University's current president, Dr. John C. Baker, and to two recent presidents of the Alumni Association—Grosvenor S. McKee, '16, and Carr Liggett, also of the Class of 1916—Mr. Williams is especially grateful for acts of helpfulness and encouragement in his work, although he acknowledges a debt of gratitude to many university officials and to thousands of alumni constituents for support given him during his many years as alumni secretary.

"It is significant of nothing, but interesting, nevertheless," he says, "for me to find that 87 percent of all the persons who have received degrees or diplomas in the entire history of the University have received them during my administration of alumni affairs, and it is with mingled feelings that I note that only nine of the 346 members of the university's present administrative and teaching staffs have longer records of service at Ohio University than I."

the editing and compiling of the general catalog and other major bulletins of the University, as well as the booklets and other promotional materials used by the newly-established public relations department. After a number of years the editorial work was limited to the major bulletins.

In 1947, Ohio University alumni recognized their secretary when, "in appreciation of services rendered . . . during a 25-year period," a number of alumni chapters and individuals presented him with a gift of money suf-

ficient in amount to make it possible for Mrs. Williams to accompany her husband on a visit to chapters in California.

Also in 1947, the American Alumni Council, an organization composed then of the alumni secretaries and other professional alumni workers of more than 300 U. S. and Canadian colleges and universities, awarded Mr. Williams a "certificate in recognition of outstanding service for 25 years as director of alumni work at Ohio University." In June, 1954, Clark was again honored by the OU Alumni Association, with a surprise

August Commencement

THE TOTAL number of degrees granted during the sesquicentennial year at Ohio University was brought to more than 900 when 140 men and women were graduated on August 14.

Sixty-four received master's degrees and 76 bachelor's degrees from President John C. Baker, who presided at the ceremonies in Memorial Auditorium. Four of the graduates also became second lieutenants in the United States Air Force Reserve.

Commencement Speaker Dr. W. Bay Irvine, president of Marietta College, drew from the record of OU's 150-year history in advising graduates to learn from the past in planning for the future.

Dr. Irvine pointed out the importance America places on accentuating anniversaries as measures of progress. "The amazing progress of the United States has resulted, to a great extent, from the courage of persons who pioneered—not only in material ways—but in the concepts of the relationships of man with other men—with his government—and with his God," the speaker said.

To illustrate his theme, Dr. Irvine told of an occasion when an old riverman rowed him across a river in the midst of a dense fog.

"Much to my surprise," Dr. Irvine related, "we arrived at the proper place on the opposite bank and I asked him how he knew where he was going. Not only was he facing in the wrong direction, but visibility was zero. He said that, as he looked back, he could see a slight glint from the sun, so he was able to set a course although there were no landmarks visible as he looked back to row."

Applying the story to his address, the Marietta College president emphasized the importance of sound principles which can be learned from the past. "We must not back into the future," he said, "but we can get our bearings from the 'glint of the sun' of experience through the fog of current confusion."

Journey Through Time

Dr. Irvine told his listeners to think about the many activities of Man and try to determine whether or not a certain act or principle advanced or hindered him in his journey through time. He said:

"Apply this same method to present-day problems. Such a yardstick is val-



PHOTO BY DON MOORE

PRINCIPAL SPEAKER of the August Commencement Exercises was Dr. W. Bay Irvine (right), president of Marietta College. With him are President John C. Baker and the Rev. Fr. Jan B. Kish, pastor of St. Paul's Catholic Church in Athens.

uable in orienting ourselves and gaining a long-range perspective. It may help us in combating our own selfish interests and littleness. At the present time there is much concern about the discovery of the atom bomb. Will it be a blessing or a curse?

"I would like to suggest a few landmarks for your consideration. I believe we would agree that in our particular part of the world the Magna Charta signified an advance in man's relationship. Without doubt, we in the United States would point to the Declaration of Independence—the successful Revolutionary War—the Ordinance of 1787—the Constitution—the Emancipation Proclamation—the Ohio Company of Associates—as a few among many of the decisions that we believe have been important in advancing man along his journey."

One of the important historical events recalled by the speaker was the founding of Ohio University by Rufus Putnam and Manasseh Cutler.

"On the basis of what these Revolutionary War veterans did," Dr. Irvine said, "we can know what they thought. Perhaps we can decide that these ideals were like the 'glint of the sun through the fog' that will guide us as we face into the future."

He listed some of these beliefs as the independence of the United States, organization under law, free enterprise,

education, the dual support of education by private support and by taxation, the support of non-sectarian religion, and opposition to slavery.

Ideals And Principles

"There are many other evidences of their thoughts as shown by their acts and regulations," Dr. Irvine said. "In fact, the present life in our country has been largely determined by the ideals and principles set forth by the same group of men who founded this university. I feel that this wonderful nation—its liberties—its prosperity—and its opportunities—have been possible because of the wisdom and the foresight of these men who came to the Ohio Country to establish homes and a way of life in the new nation. I think they looked far beyond their immediate problems and privileges to establish their concept of desirable human relationships."

In closing, Dr. Irvine quoted what he termed one of the most important statements in the Ordinance of 1787—"The means of education shall forever be encouraged."

"This university for 150 years has carried out that mandate," he said.

The Rev. Fr. Jan B. Kish, pastor of St. Paul's Catholic Church in Athens, offered the invocation and benediction.

Fresh from its summer pause, a yearly interlude in which it takes time out for regrooming, painting, and polishing, the Ohio University campus stretches, yawns a yawn of approval, and extends its revitalized arms to 5000 spirited students.

Although exact enrollment figures are not yet available, they are certain to pass 5000—largest since the all-time peak of 5611 in 1948. Predictions for future years point to a steady climb beginning with this semester.

Unlike the years immediately following World War II, however, 1954 finds the University better prepared to accommodate a growing student body. Five girls' dormitories, with total facilities for 1490 coeds, are ready for occupancy, and five East Green dorms await 1300 men. The remaining students will live in fraternity and sorority houses and private homes.

Some 2000 of the students are new freshmen, and by the time late enrollments are completed, the number of entering freshmen is expected to closely approach the high of 2170 recorded in 1946. Actually the number of persons attending OU for the first time will be about 2200, including transfers and graduate students.

Alumni Return

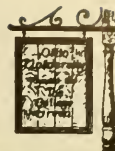
Forty Ohio University alumni who returned to the campus during the summer session have earned advanced degrees, and 16 former students, previously awarded teacher certificates, have completed requirements for bachelors degrees.

All but seven of the masters degrees and one bachelors degree were awarded at the August Commencement. The others, completed at the post-summer session, will be presented in February.

Those receiving advanced degrees are:

Carlton E. Beck (BSEd, '52), MED
Rebecca E. Blackstone (BSEd, '39), MED
Nelson K. Blosser (BSEd, '33), MED
Robert E. Bowen (BSEd, '48), MED
Richard E. Buntz (AB, '53), MFA
Rex L. Burke (BSEd, '32), MED
James N. Campbell (BSEd, '49), MED
Andrew H. Davis (BSEd, '50), MED
George R. Dion (BSEd, '50), MED
Joanne Mary Dove (AB, '53), MA
Robert E. Duvall (BSEd, '53), MED
Elizabeth Jane Ebersbach (BSEd, '48), MED
Richard E. Eberts (BSEd, '50), MED
Lawrence P. Falbo (BSEd, '49), MED
William L. Fay (BFA, '51), MFA
Jay Mack Gamble (BSEd, '51), MA
Marvin E. Goff (AB, '37), MED

About the Green



SUMMER VISITOR to the campus was Wolter P. Reuther, left, president of the CIO and the UAW-CIO, who addressed a group of labor leaders attending a five-day conference at the university. With Reuther is Raymond Ross, a regional president of the UAW-CIO.

William D. Graham (BSEd, '50), MED
Isaac W. Headley (BSEd, '37), MED
William R. Hess (BSEd, '47), MED
Warren H. Immel (BSEd, '41), MED
James J. Kabat (BSEd, '50), MED
Harold V. Kessler (BSEd, '49), MED
Winifred Jean Lee (BFA, '53), MFA
Joyce Enid McIlvain (BFA, '53), MFA
Clifton L. McMahon (BSEd, '53), MED

Frances F. Malone (BSEd, '50), MED
Milan Mihal (BSEd, '52), MED
Russell Addison Milliken (BSEd, '50), MED
Walter L. Rosinski (BSJ, '53), MS
Merlyn G. Ross (BSEd, '53), MFA
Henry R. Sall (BSEd, '53), MS
Robert L. Shrigley (BSEd, '53), MED
Dawerance H. Skatzes (BSEd, '51), MED
James C. Smith (BSEd, '38), MED
Charles S. Thomas (BSEd, '38), MS
Ralph E. Ullman (El. Ed., '42), MED
Douglas J. Wetherholt (BSJ, '51), MS
Dohron C. Wilson (BSEd, '48), MED
Minoru Yamane (BSEd, '53), MED

The Green Goat

For the first time since 1933 *The Green Goat*, Ohio University's student humor magazine, is being revived, with the son of the last editor serving as co-editor of the 1954 magazine. Tom Flinn, son of Larry Flinn, '33, will head the editorial staff along with Co-editor George Appunn and Business Manager Dick McQuillan.

Plans call for five issues of the magazine during the 1954-55 school year, with the first scheduled for October. Subscriptions are available to students and alumni at the price of \$1.80, (including mailing) for the five issues, and can be obtained by writing to Tom Williams, sales manager, 611 1/2 North Court Street. A number of copies of the first issue are being held for alumni attending the Homecoming celebration, and can be purchased at that time from Logan's Book Store or the College Book Store.

Bachelor of Science Degrees in education were earned by Edna F. Binderbasin (El. Ed., '53), Edith M. Cole (El. Ed., '40), Wilma Musgrave Darnell (El. Ed., '39), Alfred J. D'Etore (BSC, '50), Mollie Wilson Drain (El. Ed., '37), Mary Catherine Holmes (El. Ed., '25), Irene May Lockard (El. Ed., '38), Iva Thelma Perrault (two-year certificate, '30), Gladys D. Pickering (El. Ed., '30), Jessie R. Ranly (Kindergarten-Primary Diploma, '35), Donald E. Reed (County Education Diploma, '39), Lillian M. Simpson (El. Ed., '32), Beulah Grace Wamsley (Kindergarten-Primary Diploma, '39), and Della M. Watson (El. Ed., '42). Michael Zurich, who received a B. S. Degree in 1935, was awarded an A. B. at the August graduation.

A Growing Green

By Dick Bitters, '50

TWO MORE new men's dormitories, named for distinguished pioneers prominent in early university affairs, are being opened this semester.

They are Read Hall, named in honor of Daniel Read, a graduate of 1824, and Perkins Hall, commemorating Dr. Eliphaz Perkins, an early trustee, first treasurer of the university, and pioneer in the establishment of Athens.

Read Hall, directly east of Johnson Hall, will house 211 men, while Perkins Hall, immediately south of Biddle Hall, will house 210.

Occupancy of the two dormitories brings to five the number of completed units on East Green. Construction on three other dormitories will be started this fall.

Daniel Read

Daniel Read was an educator from the uncommonly early age of 16 until he retired as president of the University of Missouri in 1876, some 52 years after he graduated from Ohio University. A preceptor, or instructor, at the age of 20, he became a professor of ancient languages at OU in 1836 and also taught political economy and constitutional and public law through 1842.

He then became a professor of languages at Indiana University where he served temporarily as president, and

READ HALL



PERKINS HALL

helped draft the Indiana state constitution.

In 1856 Read went to the University of Wisconsin as professor of mental and moral philosophy and ten years later became president of the University of Missouri.

Read's father and brothers lived on a farm near Urbana. Of the seven sons and one daughter in the family, all but the girl attended Ohio University. As the father needed the boys' help on the farm he took them back and forth at different seasons, making the journey 120 times in a two-horse carriage and estimated that he traveled a total of 18,000 miles to and from Athens during the course of his children's education.

The Read brothers all made names for themselves. After leaving Ohio University, one became prominent as a lawyer in Louisiana where he was a state official and later college professor; two brothers served in the Union Army,

one being killed during the Civil War; another brother became surgeon-in-chief of both the Texas army and the U. S. Navy during the war with Mexico; still another was a trustee of Ohio University from 1840-45, a prosecuting attorney and common pleas judge of Hamilton County and a member of the Ohio Supreme Court.

Dr. Eliphaz Perkins

The man for whom the other dormitory is named, Dr. Eliphaz Perkins, was born in 1753. He came to Athens in 1800 and became the first treasurer of Ohio University in 1804, the year the university was founded. After settling in Athens as the first physician in the new community, Dr. Perkins was active in other community affairs, being the first postmaster and first county auditor.

Prior to establishing in Ohio, he left his young family in Vermont and traveled the wilderness to Marietta and Clarksburg, W. Va., in search of new country for his future. With his wife and seven children he made a six-months trip from New England to Marietta, where Mrs. Perkins died.

After settling in Athens, three of the Perkins' sons were graduated from OU. Two later studied medicine with their father, while the third continued his studies at Princeton and then served as a minister for 30 years in New Jersey.

Charles Allen Smart used Dr. Perkins' story as the basis for his principal character in "The Green Adventure."

Dr. Victor Whitehouse, a member of the Ohio University faculty since 1917, died unexpectedly at his summer cottage in Pencaquid Point, Maine, July 22. He had been on vacation just two days when he suffered a heart attack.

A favorite among faculty and students, Dr. Whitehouse is remembered by hundreds of alumni who worked with him, or just received his hearty greeting on the campus. His unbounded enthusiasm was reflected in his teaching, his numerous meetings with students, and even in the way he said hello.

As advisor to foreign students, the affable Spanish professor knew all students from other countries personally. He followed their progress with sincere interest, both while they were on campus and after graduation. He held parties for them while they were students, and later entertained them when they returned for visits.

To the many veterans who have attended OU since World War II, the death of Dr. Whitehouse is the loss of a sympathetic friend. Coordinator of veterans affairs from 1945 until his death, he was unceasing in his efforts to give personal attention to individual problems. Many of his Sunday afternoons were spent visiting married veterans and their families at Vets Village.

Dr. Whitehouse was born in Troy, New York, of English parents. Educated at Colgate, Columbia, and Harvard Universities, he received his doctorate in romance languages from the latter. He also studied in Spain and at the University of Mexico, his special fields of interest being in the Spanish and Portuguese languages and Latin American history.

In 1917 Dr. Whitehouse came to OU where he became the university's first Spanish teacher. His service at OU was interrupted temporarily the next year when he served as an interpreter in the Army. Stationed with the Field Signal Corps in France, he was the man who interpreted the November 11, 1918 message from Field Marshall Foch, calling for a cease fire that morning.

After the war Dr. Whitehouse returned to the campus of Ohio University. In 1924 he married Miss Helen Hickenberry, a teacher of French at the university.

In addition to being professor of Spanish, coordinator of veterans' affairs, and advisor to foreign students, he served as Fulbright advisor. Earlier he had served two years as acting dean of men, and a member of the Rhodes Scholarship, convocation, and campus affairs committees. In 1945 he was in charge



DR. VICTOR WHITEHOUSE

of arrangements for the inauguration of President John C. Baker.

At last year's scholarship convocation, Dr. Whitehouse was made a member of Torch Chapter, ODK, national men's honorary.

The booming voice of Dr. Victor Whitehouse was the sound of friendship to students who passed through the gates of Ohio University. His attitude toward them is summed up in an observation he made after talking with the first group of veterans to enroll after the second World War: "The problem of re-adjustment has been greatly overestimated."

Dr. Whitehouse is survived by his wife and two sons, Richard Victor and John Daniel, three grandchildren, and one sister.

Teach At Other Schools

Several members of the OU faculty spent the summer months at other universities, university camps, or making studies of American business organizations.

Those who taught at other universities are: Dr. E. A. Hansen, professor of elementary education, the University of West Virginia; Dr. F. L. Shoemaker, professor of education, the University of Illinois; Dr. A. C. Anderson, professor of psychology, the State University of New York Teachers College, Oswego, N. Y.; and Dr. George E. Hill, professor of education, Drury College in Springfield, Missouri.

Professors Ahmin Ali and Irvin P. Badger, of the OU engineering staff, served as summer instructors at the Ohio State University Surveying Camp at Zaleski. Dr. Willard B. Phelps, instructor in geography, was on the summer teaching staff of Camp Branson, a University of Missouri field camp in Wyoming.

THE FACULTY

New Dean Named

Dr. Gaige B. Paulsen, a member of the Ohio University psychology department staff since 1930, is the new dean of the University College. He succeeds Dr. Rush Elliott who was appointed dean of the College of Arts and Sciences following Dr. George W. Starcher's acceptance of the presidency of the University of North Dakota (June ALUMNUS).

A graduate of the University of Minnesota, where he received his B. A. Degree in 1927, and his Ph. D. in 1930, Dr. Paulsen has served since August, 1944, as supervisor of the OU Testing and Vocational Counseling Service, in addition to his regular duties as professor of psychology.

Dr. Paulsen came to Ohio University as an assistant professor of psychology immediately after receiving his doctorate at Minnesota. He was advanced to associate professor in September, 1938, and on July 1, 1944, was made professor of psychology.

From 1945 until 1951 Dr. Paulsen was supervisor of Veterans' Advisement Services in Athens, Portsmouth, and Zanesville. The program was initiated by Ohio University in conjunction with the Veterans Administration to provide vocational advisement to veterans.

A native of Hollandale, Wisconsin, the new University College dean is married to the former Helen Wold, of Minneapolis. Dr. and Mrs. Paulsen have two children, Marilyn, a junior at OU, and Gaige R., a high school senior.

Among Dr. Paulsen's academic honors are memberships in Sigma Xi, scientific honorary, and Scabbard & Blade, ROTC honor society. He is a Diplomate in Counseling and Guidance, as certified by the American Board of Examiners, official certifying body of the American Psychological Association, and a professional member of the National Vocational Guidance Association.

DR. GAIGE B. PAULSEN



Pittsburgh

Good weather, good food, and a good crowd added up to a good time for alumni attending the second annual Alumni Family Picnic of the Pittsburgh Chapter on August 21.

Held at South Park in Pittsburgh, the picnic was attended by more than 25 alumni and their families who enjoyed reminiscing, playing cards, horseshoes, and other typical picnic games.

Among those present were: Earl Brownlee, '42, and family; Melissa Alden, '52; Anne Guckenberger, '52; Wayne Shaw, '22, and Mrs. Shaw; Mrs. James Thomas (Pauline Roberts, '46) and family; Earle Phillips, '48, Mrs. Phillips (Mary Louise Hagerman, '47) and family.

Richard Hibbard, '51, and family; Jack Brownlee, '48, Mrs. Brownlee (Phyllis Crowe, '47), and family; Ralph Ogg, '48, and Mrs. Ogg; Wayne Ritter, '48, Mrs. Ritter (Doris Mary Standing, '48), and family; D. D. Dawson, Mrs. Dawson (Edith Griffith, '36) and family; Charles Eaken, '15, and Mrs. Eaken; George Northrop, '51, and family.

Kendal Query, '31, and Mrs. Query; Richard Anthony, '48, and family; H. S. Hopkins, '15, and Mrs. Hopkins (Gladys Reichelderfer, '15); Jay Downer; Mr. and Mrs. Wells; Mr. and Mrs. Forestrom; Mr. and Mrs. Scott; Mrs. McMath and family.

Dayton

Dale Springer, '49, has been elected president of the Dayton Alumni Chapter for the coming year. He will be assisted by Mrs. Paul O'dell (Margy Ahlaust, '45), vice-president; Mrs. H. E. Rogers (Irma Zuroweste, '46), secretary; and Earl Kerman, '42, treasurer.

Other members of the chapter board of directors for 1954-55 are James Christmeyer, '50; Don Miller, '51; Mrs. James Holahan (Coralee O'dell, '47); Mrs. Donald Rentz (Caryl Brown, '45); John Weissgarber, '50; and Mrs. Robert E. Brown (Dorothy Shriner, '51).

Plans are being completed for the annual fall dance which will be held on November 5. Heading the dance committee are co-chairmen Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Brown. Serving with them are Mr. and Mrs. John Weissgarber and Mr. and Mrs. James Christmeyer. Mrs. Weissgarber is the former Patricia Cook, '50, and Mrs. Christmeyer is the former Carolyn Hollopeter, '51.

Sesqui Scholarship Fund Drive To Continue Until December 31

CERTIFICATES are being prepared for each contributor to the highly successful Alumni Sesquicentennial Scholarship Fund drive which will be concluded December 31. The drive, which reached \$364,724.74 before the June Commencement, is being kept open until the end of the sesquicentennial year, according to Fred H. Johnson, '22, general chairman of the fund.

Meanwhile, another issue of the

Bronze Plaque, slated for publication October 15, will bring late news of alumni participation in the drive. Prof. Albert C. Gubitz, executive director of the drive, said there have been many names added to the list of contributors since the last issue of the pamphlet.

The executive director also announced that an executive committee meeting will be held early this fall.

Letter from Herrold

Dear Fellow Alumni:

Our Sesquicentennial Year may well become the most outstanding in the history of Ohio University.

The Founders Day Celebration in February was most successful. The Commencement marked an historic occasion for all graduates and alumni. Those of you who were fortunate enough to have been there cannot help but have a feeling of pride and enthusiasm for all that Ohio University is doing today.

The next big event will be the Homecoming Weekend—October 23. Plan now to come back for it.

It would be impossible for me to tell you all the promising ideas and present plans of President Baker and his loyal and willing Faculty. When you come back this fall and see for yourself you will be elated over the new Ohio University, as it starts its 151st year.

It has been said that men come and stay with us awhile and then move on. Their works remain. It is with a deep sense of this fact that I make special mention of our good friend and Alumni Secretary for thirty-two years—Clark E. Williams. No man ever served his Alumni better than did Clark Williams. He has set an example of excellence in work and purpose.

He has been my good friend for well over thirty-five years. He stands as my definition of a good man, always tolerant and honest in his beliefs and convictions. He has made a great contribution to Ohio University.

We shall follow him in his new work with affectionate good wishes.

To Martin L. Hecht, our new Alumni Secretary, we pledge our support and loyalty.

Sincerely,

Russell P. Herrold

Russell P. Herrold
President, Ohio University Alumni Association



FRIENDS of Mrs. John T. McLean (Ruth Ann Irvin, '34, M.A. '36) telephoned congratulations to the Kansas City school teacher after she won a Fulbright teaching assignment in England. With her are her children, Sarah Katherine, Robert Bruce, and Joan Ruth.

OU's Fulbright Delegation

TO ITS BIRTHDAY list of notable achievements, Ohio University can appropriately add its largest representation of Fulbright winners in history. The names included are those of two alumni and two university professors who are leaving the country to teach or study in foreign schools.

Mrs. John T. McLean (Ruth Ann Irvin, '34, M. A. '36) and Donald J. Pease, '53, will be in England during the coming year; Dr. Paul Krauss will be in Germany; and Dr. C. L. Dow in Japan.

All four Fulbright Scholarship winners are taking their families with them—that is, with one exception. Mrs. McLean, will have her three children with her while she is in Plymouth England, but Mr. McLean, a salesman for the Stalcup Sign Company, must stay behind and look after his business.

A teacher in the Shawnee-Mission Elementary School in Kansas City, Missouri, Mrs. McLean won an exchange teacher scholarship. She will teach the fifth grade at the English school while an instructor from that

school teaches in Kansas City. Mr. McLean is already making plans to fly over to England for a Christmas visit with his family.

Don Pease, a graduate student at OU during the past year, will continue his studies at the University of Durham in Newcastle, England, on his scholarship. An honor student in journalism while an undergraduate, Mr. Pease is doing his graduate work in political science. He and his wife, Jeanne, who is accompanying him on the trip, are both natives of Toledo.

Dr. Krauss, an associate professor of German, will take part in a unique Fulbright exchange teacher program. He will serve as an English instructor in several German schools near Herford, and an English professor from that country will take Dr. Krauss' place in the OU German department. Dr. Krauss will also study the German foreign language program.

A professor of geology and geography, Dr. Dow will spend the academic year teaching geography of North America in Tokyo University, the oldest

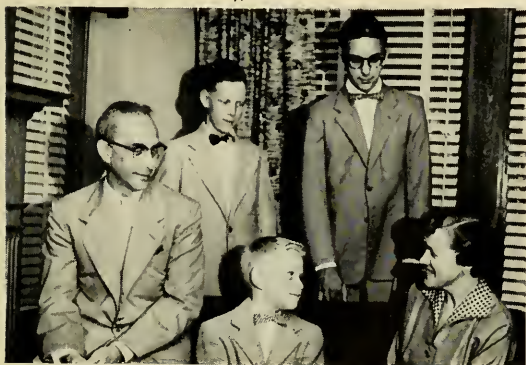


CONTINUING graduate studies in England, under a Fulbright grant, is Don Pease, '53, who is accompanied by his wife, Jeanne.

and largest of the 243 colleges and universities in Japan.

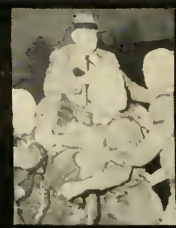
The Fulbright plan is named after Senator J. William Fulbright of Arkansas. Shortly after the close of World War II he proposed that surplus American war material which remained abroad be sold there and the money put into a fund to provide scholarships for exchange students and to meet the travel expenses of exchange teachers.

IN GERMANY for the coming academic year are Dr. Paul Krauss, his wife, Mildred, and their three sons, Stephen (seated), Roy (standing at left), and Ted.



DR. C. L. DOW, his wife (Caroline Walters, '38) and their son, Jim, are in Japan, where Dr. Dow will teach students at the University of Tokyo.





Capt. John Schwab, G
Dayton, Senior
5' 9", 170 lbs.

Ted Jackson, FB
Springfield, Senior
6' 1", 205 lbs.

Bill Frederick, QB
Dayton, Senior
5' 11", 165 lbs.

Ran Weaver, T
Franklin, Senior
6', 197 lbs.



Jack Vair, E
Warren, Soph.
6', 190 lbs.



Jim Whitaker, G
Lockland, Soph.
5' 11", 185 lbs.

1954 BOBCATS

Paul Bremigan, C
Cambridge, Junior
6' 3", 180 lbs.



Jack Watkins, E
Porksburg, W. Va.
Junior, 6', 185 lbs.

Dave Lundberg, E
Dayton, Junior
6' 3", 182 lbs.



Don Anderson, T
Ripley, W. Va., Soph.
6' 1", 205 lbs.

Bill Hathaway, E
Galion, Junior
5' 11", 190 lbs.

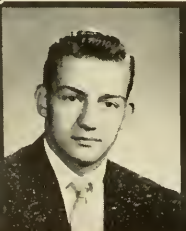


Stan Viner, G
Cincinnati, Soph.
6', 194 lbs.

Ran Sbrissa, HB
Shadyside, Soph.
5' 9", 160 lbs.

Dick Green, G
Martins Ferry, Soph.
5' 9", 175 lbs.

Ston Moschino, T
Dayton, Senior
6' 2", 205 lbs.



Pigskin Preview

By Rowland Congdon, '49

Bob Wheeler, T
Summit, N. J., Soph.
6' 3", 225 lbs.

Andy Scarpelli, HB
Cleveland, Soph.
5' 7", 160 lbs.

John Evans, HB
Navarre, Junior
5' 9", 180 lbs.

Dick Perkins, G
Elyria, Soph.
5' 9", 170 lbs.

Don McBride, QB
Columbiana, Soph.
5' 11", 185 lbs.

Dick Spellmeyer, C
Cincinnati, Senior
6' 3", 210 lbs.

A VETERAN first team back-
ed by "green" replacements
will carry the defending Mid-Am-
erican Conference champion Bob-
cats into the 1954 season, Coach
Carroll Widdoes' sixth.

Ten of the 11 returning letter-
men — one back from the service
— are expected to start in the
opener against Xavier, September
25. "Wid" expresses hope that a
group of nine good sophomores
and avoidance of serious injuries
can help make it a winning sea-
son once again.

"Wid" believes he has the squad
to produce at least five wins in
1954 and "with luck" the season
record might equal or surpass last
year's 6-2-1 final reading.

Loss through graduation of Half-
back Tom Ascani, leading '53
ground gainer; Captain and Cen-
ter Lowell "Duke" Anderson,
Guard Bob Penrod, and All-Con-
ference End Lou Sawchik, now
with the Chicago Cardinals, will
hurt considerably. No replace-
ments of their caliber are avail-
able, "Wid" says.

Bill Hecker, E
Olmsted Falls, Soph.
5' 9½", 180 lbs.

Dave Watson, HB
Middletown, Junior
5' 11", 180 lbs.

Jim Kroger, E
Steubenville, Junior
5' 11", 183 lbs.

Erland Ahlberg, HB
Conneaut, Junior
5' 10", 160 lbs.

Don Wirtz, FB
Columbus, Soph.
5' 10", 185 lbs.

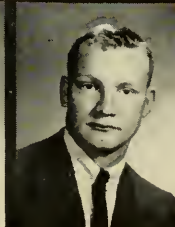
1954 FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

September		
25	Xavier	home
October		
2	Toledo*	home
9	Western Reserve*	away
16	Kent State*	away
23	Miami (homecoming)*	home
30	Harvard	away
November		
6	Western Michigan*	away
13	Bowling Green*	away
20	Marshall*	home
* Mid-America Conference Games		

Jim Hall, C
Zanesville, Junior
6' 2", 200 lbs.

John Brammer, QB
Zanesville, Junior
5' 10", 170 lbs.

Vernon Smith, FB
Eaton Rapids, Mich., Soph.
6' 1", 205 lbs.



Alumnus Decorated

Lt. Col. Walter Trauger, '38, promoted to his present rank while serving in Korea with the Eighth Army, has received an Oak Leaf Cluster to his Bronze Star Medal.

Trauger, who has since been transferred to Japan, received the cluster in place of a duplicate medal for his meritorious service in the Eighth Army quartermaster section from July, 1953 until April of this year. During that time he was responsible for determining subsistence requirements for all UN forces in Korea, including the Indian custodial forces.

A veteran of 11 years in the Army, the colonel served in Europe during World War II, and has been in the Far East for more than a year. His wife, Dorian, and son, Carl, live in Delray Beach, Florida.



LT. COL. WALTER TRAUGER

Paine Air Force Base, Everett, Washington, where he is attached to the 83rd Fighter Interceptor Squadron.

First Lt. Donald E. Lehr, '51, assigned to the 548th Rcn. Tech. Squadron of the Air Force, is a photo-radar interpreter.

S/Sgt. William G. deMonye, '51, an Army auditing technician, completed an overseas tour in Frankfurt, Germany in August.

Chaplain Beryl Louis Bierr, '39, a lieutenant in the Navy, has been assigned to the Commodore's Staff of the Naval Transport Division in San Diego, Calif.

Major Robert W. West, '38, has been assigned by the Air Force to Indiana University for graduate training this fall.

Capt. John M. Nolan, '48, finished the infantry officers advanced course at Ft. Benning, Georgia in July and has been assigned to the ROTC staff of Michigan State College for a two-year tour.

Lt. Robert B. Smith, '53, is serving as communications officer at Sidi Slimane Air Force Base in French Morocco.

Second Lt. Sam Pecorelli is a supply officer in Nome, Alaska.

Second Lts. Ronald Glassheim and John Kovelan (both '54), are completing an aircraft controllers course at Tyndall Air Force Base, Florida, and will be assigned early this fall.

Second Lts. Ronald A. Gustie and James F. Kumpf (both '54) are in sup-

ply officers training at F. E. Warren Air Force Base in Cheyenne, Wyoming.

Second Lt. Randall V. Greig, '53, is stationed at James Connally Air Force Base, Waco, Texas.

Sgt. Bronson L. Bach, '54, who returned in June from 15 months' service in Korea, is at the U. S. Marine Corps Reserve base in Memphis, Tenn.

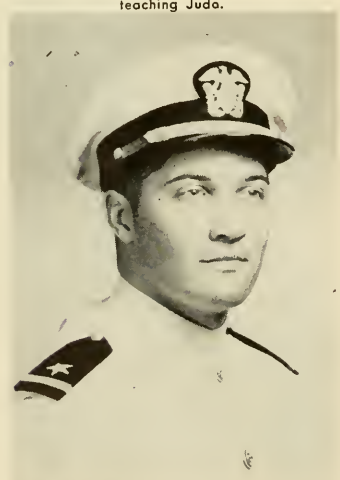
Second Lt. Earchell T. Flynn, Jr., '53, graduated from Quartermaster School, Fort Lee, Va., in April, and is now assistant commissary officer at Ft. Monmouth, N. J.

First Lt. Charles R. Leach, '49, is on duty with the Army in Germany.

Capt. O. M. Davis, '49, on the staff of the Chicago Quartermaster Depot for the past two years, has left for Europe for an assignment on the staff, Headquarters, USAREUR.

Second Lt. Robert Livingston, '54, is stationed with the 3304th Pilot Training Squadron at Hondo Air Force Base, Texas. Mrs. Livingston (Venera Thomovsky, '53) and their son, Bobbie, are with Lt. Livingston at Hondo.

BETTY JO DEW, '48, who is serving with the Bureau of Aeronautics in Washington, D. C., has been promoted to lieutenant (j.g.). She is personnel administrative officer in the Guided Missiles Division. Before joining the Navy in January, 1953, Miss Dew was a high school teacher at Avon, Ohio.



ENSIGN LARRY McARTHUR, '53, graduated from the Naval Training School for Officers at Newport, Rhode Island, in April and is now stationed on Kwajalein Atoll in the Marshall Islands. He is associated with the special services at the Marshall base and is teaching Juda.



Pages From The Past

DURING THE WAR years enrollment at Ohio University fell to a total of only 120 students.

The war, of course, was the Civil War, and the enrollment was, in the words of President Solomon Howard, a large number "When we take into consideration the many young men who have volunteered to serve their country in the Army."

University life during the great war between the states is one of the many episodes that comes back to life in a vivid and moving manner within the pages of "The Hoover History," the second book to be published by the Ohio University Press.

Written by the late Thomas N. Hoover, OU professor of history for 39 years, the 274-page book is a colorful and carefully-chronicled story of the first 150 years at Ohio University. It follows the history of the university through years of financial problems and academic changes, providing intimate acquaintanceship with the university and the men and wom-

en who have taken part in its growth.

Accomplishments in academic endeavors and athletic events are treated accurately and interestingly by the beloved professor and historian who spent years of preparation for what was to be his final work.

Readers are taken to the dedication of Ellis Hall, and into the first ath-

The History of Ohio University by Thomas Nathanael Hoover, can be obtained by writing to the Ohio University Fund, P.O. Box BRE, Athens, Ohio. Price: \$4.00, including postage.

letic event in the gymnasium. They are able to attend the first alumni reunion — to witness the dismissal of an 1840 student for "depositing a heap of shavings under and about the stile with the intention of setting fire to them" — to meet with the trustees in 1804 and appoint Rufus Put-

nam and Samuel Carpenter to have the town of Athens surveyed — to hear President John C. Baker express his views about the importance of dormitories in a modern university.

Several men contributed to the completion of Professor Hoover's work following his death on November 3, 1951. Professor Paul H. Fontaine, of the OU Music Department, wrote the final chapters and revised many earlier passages. Professor Joseph B. Heidler accomplished the difficult task of compiling the index. Dr. James Rodabaugh and Dr. Everett Walters, members of the Ohio Archaeological and Historical staff, reviewed much source material which resulted in valuable additions.

It is unfortunate that Professor Hoover did not live to see this great contribution to his school published. But the work that he did — the loyalty and perception that he felt, find permanence in "The Hoover History," a story of the university he knew so well.

Among the Alumni

1902

Dr. HOMER A. WILSON, veteran Bradford, Pennsylvania, obstetrician, holds the undisputed record in that city for delivering babies. He has brought more than 7,000 little ones into the world. A resident of Bradford since 1917, Dr. Wilson was head of the Obstetrical Department at the Bradford Hospital for many years, and is now a lecturer in obstetrics in their nursing school.

1904

LESLIE W. HOUSEHOLDER is vice president of the National Mine Service Co. in Indiana, Pennsylvania.

1911

LELAND S. WOOD is a field examiner for the Department of Taxation in North Canton, Ohio.

1912

J. G. HICKOX is school psychologist for the Warren City Board of Education.

1913

OSCAR LEE DUSTHEIMER, well known Cleveland astronomer and former professor at Baldwin-Wallace, was among the top authorities who gathered at St. Paul in June to observe the total eclipse of the sun. He later gave his impressions of the event over a Cleveland television station.

MYRTLE MARDIS HOISINGTON (Mrs. Otto L.) is assistant to the equipment specialist of the Quartermaster Supply Section at Columbus General Depot.

WILLIAM A. HARTFORD has retired and is building a home in Tangerine, Florida.

Judge LEWIS H. MILLER of Ripley, Ohio, received an honorary degree of Doctor of Laws at June commencement exercises at Morris Harvey College.

1915

ARTHUR A. BRAINERD is an illuminating engineer with the Philadelphia Electric Co. Mrs. Brainerd is the former Zella Knoll, '14.

1916

CARR LIGGETT has stepped down from the presidency of Carr Liggett Advertising, Inc., the advertising firm he founded in 1933, to devote more time to account planning and creative work. He continues as principal owner of the agency and will serve as treasurer and senior counsel.

1917

W. J. SECREST, formerly chief electrical engineer for the Akron plants of the Firestone Tire & Rubber Co., has been assigned to a special project at the company's Los Angeles plant.

1918

MARY KECK SCOLES is a first grade teacher at Amity School in the Knox County School System.

1920

E. C. KRIEGER, better known as "Irish," has been named president of Packard Columbus, Inc. A representative of the Sun Life Assurance Company of Canada for 25 years, Krieger is an internationally known expert on football rules and officiating, and has conducted clinics throughout the United States and abroad.

CHAUNCEY OWEN RIDENOUR is professor of English literature at Pennsylvania State University.

1922

WALTER H. STEWART, vice-president of the Virginia Steel Company, Richmond, Va., has been elected president of the Steel Joist Institute. He is past president of the Concrete Steel Reinforcing Institute and of the Wire Reinforcement Institute.

MRS. KATHLEEN S. BOYD is a science teacher at Laurelville (Ohio) High School.

1923

ARTHUR E. RHOLLANS is business teacher and treasurer of Withrow High School in Cincinnati.

MARY EDYTHE KEPNER is a bookkeeper for Robert Duffee Jewelers in Sharon, Pennsylvania.

1924

VARELIA HOLLETT FARMER (Mrs. C. A.) has been named head of the Processing Department of the Cleveland Public Library. In her new position, she superintends the work of approximately 100 persons in the Catalog, Order and Book Repair Divisions. She has been active in a number of professional organizations including the American Library Association, the Ohio Library Association, and the Library Club of Greater Cleveland and Vicinity.

CURTIS MORRIS is the Washington, D. C., representative of the American Gas Association.

1925

MAYNARD L. GRAFT is assistant commercial supervisor of the Ohio Bell Telephone Company. His home is in Cleveland.

1926

BERNICE M. GRAHAM is the retiring president of Omicron Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma in Marietta. She has also served for the past year as president of the Marietta Teachers' Council, and is retiring this year from the Executive Board of that organization, after five years' membership.

1927

Dr. JOSEPH B. STOCKLEN, of Cleveland, Cuyahoga County Tuberculosis Controller, is in Alaska at the request of the U. S. Government, to help organize TB controls among the native population.

HELEN O. PERKINS is dean of girls at Robinson Junior High School in Toledo.

ALBERT E. DORAN is director of athletics at George Washington High School, Alexandria, Virginia.

HENRY F. SHEPHERD, assistant to the director of personnel for the U. S. Department of Agriculture, was presented a Superior Service award for outstanding service to the department in a ceremony held recently in the Sylvan theater in Washington, D. C. Secretary of Agriculture Ezra Taft Benson made the presentation.

WILLIAM B. WHITNEY, mathematics teacher at Wilkes-Barre (Pa.) High School, works as a ranger in Yellowstone National Park during the summer months.

1928

J. ALLEN CHASE, after 20 years in Washington, D. C., has resigned his position of assistant to the director, Internal Revenue Service, and has joined his brother-in-law, Harold Russell, in the operation of the Freshway Super Markets in Huntington, W. Va.

1929

VIRGINIA RUTH MCINTOSH is a teacher of physical education and health at Zanesville (Ohio) High School.

CARL D. REES is executive assistant for the Northern Indiana Public Service Company, Hammond, Ind.

Dr. JOHN LUTZ and Buck Atherson of Charleston, W. Va., won the West Virginia state tennis doubles championship this summer for the fourth consecutive year.

CLAUDE CHILCOTE is teaching social studies at Laurelville (Ohio) High School.

1930

HUGH M. CLIFTON is assistant division credit manager for the Pure Oil Company. His home is in Charlotte, N. C.

HELEN MARGARET DERRER is school psychologist for the Columbus City Schools.

MAXME B. SEALOCK is teaching the third grade at Caldwell, Ohio.

1932

PAUL HENRY, recently discharged from the Navy, with the rank of Lt. Commander, has accepted the position of principal of Portola (California) High School.

JAMES OFFUTT has opened a modern appliance store in Mt. Lebanon, Ohio. The



W. E. SCHAFER, '35, has been elected vice-president and manager of the Personal Loan Department of the Piqua National Bank and Trust Company, Piqua, Ohio. He is also a member of the board of directors of the Consumer Bankers Association of Washington, D. C. and of the Installment Credit Committee of the Ohio Bankers Association. Mr. Schaffer is past president of the Piqua Kiwanis Club which won an international achievement award last year.

completely modern three level building combines beauty, utility, and spaciousness into one of the best stores in the Lebanon area.

JAMES R. NOWELL, an electrical engineer at Lockbourne Air Force Base, Columbus, is an active member of the Sons of the American Revolution.

JAMES S. BERRY teaches in the public schools at Berkeley, California.

JOHN ALDEN, former newspaperman and magazine writer, has been appointed director of advertising and public relations by the Athens Flooring Co.

1933

D. MERRILL DAVIS, music supervisor in the Jackson School and camp director at Camp Arrowhead, received an award this summer for his contribution to the nationwide 4-H club program. The presentation was made in Washington, D. C. Mr. Davis has been music director for the National 4-H Conference for a number of years.

ELMER R. PRICE is editor and publisher of the Lincoln County Leader, in Toledo, Oregon.

1934

DONALD SHEPHERD, who has been associated with the Barnesville, Ohio, Schools for 19 years, has accepted a three-year contract as superintendent of Tiffin, Ohio schools. He has served as teacher, principal, and, for the last five years, superintendent at Barnesville.

DALE G. DOWLER is an electrical inspector for the Ohio and Western Pennsylvania Dock Co. in Ashtabula.

WILBUR K. JONES owns the Flynn Letter Shop in St. Petersburg, Florida.

WALTER C. WITTHOFF, a CPA in Fremont, Nebraska, is president of the Central States Accounting Conference, and presided at a three-day June meeting in Kansas City. Accountants from seven states are included in the organization.

1935

BERNARD (BEANIE) BERENS, former OU basketball great, is now parole officer for the Boys Industrial School and Juvenile Diagnostic Center at Lancaster. For Berens, it is a return to BIS, where he was coach for 10 years before going to teach in the Lancaster public schools.

THEODORE A. AWERMAN is a vocational counselor in Brooklyn, N. Y.

DORRIS WYLIE NICHOLS works in the Pittsburgh office of the Gulf Oil Co.

1936

WALTER L. WAGNER is a government mediator and conciliator in Cleveland.

JEAN McMASTER, employed in the United States Diplomatic Service, is now in Germany, after serving in Turkey, Indo China, and Belgium.

1937

CARL C. BYERS, nationally-prominent superintendent of Parma schools, has been re-appointed to his post for another five-year term. In addition to his school work, Byers has become a sought-after public speaker and has addressed audiences throughout the U. S.

IRVING SHULMAN has just completed a new novel which Little, Brown and Company has projected for publication in May, 1935. He also has a story in the September issue of *Esquire*.

LINN BRADLEY SLACK is director of public information for the Wyoming Highway Department, with offices in Cheyenne.

Dr. BENJAMIN S. BROWN is radiologist for the Youngstown Hospital Association.

1938

PAUL K. HUDSON, assistant professor of electrical engineering at the University of Illinois, is co-editor of a book designed to improve the reading habits of students, especially engineers. First of its kind, the book is titled "Never Walk Alone."

WILLIAM O. DeVOLL has been named coordinator of training and development for the Champion Paper and Fibre Co., with responsibilities in all divisional areas as well as in the General Office at Hamilton.

THOMAS J. SYMES is district sales manager for Stokely-Van Camp, Inc. His home is in Mission San Jose, Calif.

1939

LEWIS D. CHASE received the degree of Master of Science in Education at the June Commencement of the University of Southern California.

HARRY A. BENNETT has resigned as principal of Pomeroy High School to accept a similar position in Lebanon.

JOSEPH E. BURKE is an F.B.I. agent in Cleveland. He and Mrs. Burke (Idamiae Manzler, '40) live in Parma.

M. PEARL HEIDORN returned this summer from interesting teaching assignments in Germany, Japan, and Guam.

HARRY V. McMAKEN is executive secretary of the Community Chest of Sioux City, Iowa.

ELIZABETH SMITH teaches at Franklin School in Dayton.

1940

GORDON FRANK GARRY is an engineer with the Foley Construction Company in Cincinnati.

WILLIAM R. GARBER is section head, Advertising Accounting Section, Accounts Payable Department, of the Goodyear Tire & Rubber Company, Akron.

JEANNETTE CRANMER GRIM is an accountant for the Drydock Coal Company, Nelsonville.

JACK DONALD PRITCHARD is secretary-treasurer of the Thompson Asphalt Company, Kirkwood, Missouri.

LOIS HARDIN WATTS is doing substitute teaching in the Des Moines, Iowa schools.

1941

JAMES H. L. ROACH is working toward a Ph.D. at Tulane University where he has a research fellowship with the Urban Life Research Institute. Mrs. Roach is the former Patricia Palmer.

LEONA ALGEO FOX has accepted the appointment to serve as general superintendent and coordinator of the Union Church School in Oxford, Ohio.

JOSEPH GEORGE HAGUE received the degree of Doctor of Education at June Commencement exercises of the University of Southern California.

1942

SHERMAN C. WOODRUFF, of Fairless Hills, Pennsylvania, is transportation engineer for the United States Steel Corp.

RICHARD D. CRUMLEY has completed his first year of teaching at the University of South Carolina where he is an assistant professor of education. Mrs. Crumley is the former Mary Stanhagen, '43.

ALBERT H. ROTSINGER has been appointed vice-president of Farnson, Huff & Northlich, a Cincinnati and Louisville advertising and marketing agency. He has been with the agency since 1949 as copy chief and account executive.

DR. EDGAR A. SWARTZ has recently opened an office at Northgate, Seattle, Washington. Mrs. Swartz is the former Charlotte Branscome, '43.

JACK FULTON has been named manager of The McBee Company's sales office in St. Louis. He formerly managed sales operations in Toledo and Washington, D. C.

1943

JAMES W. MALE of Lake Lucerne, Ohio has been elected president of the Cleveland Chapter of the American Savings and Loan Institute. He is secretary-treasurer and a director of the Park View Federal Savings and Loan Association of Cleveland.

H. BERNARD KRINKE resigned this year as principal of the Chester High School to become instrumental music instructor of the Rutland and Chester High Schools.

BARBARA LEE BINNS is traffic manager of Radio Station WVCG, Coral Gables, Florida.

ONE OF the most important discoveries of the celebrated Berkshire Music Festival at Tanglewood, the proving ground of many of the greatest American names in music today, is a young Ohio University graduate whose voice and musicianship, looks and personality have already marked her as a luminous star of the future.

She is soprano Saramae Endich, who received a Bachelor of Fine Arts from OU in 1944.

During the 1954-55 season, the talented soloist will make her first nationwide concert tour. She has been signed to a contract for exclusive concert representation in North America by Columbia Artists Management, Inc., the world's largest concert management firm.

Her season opened auspiciously with a June 17 appearance in Cleveland, and will include recital appearances from the East Coast to the West, from Canada to the Deep South.

Miss Endich was chosen by the Society of Participating Artists (SPA Records) to perform the recently released first recording of a set of songs by the contemporary American composer Werner Josten. The composer himself accompanies her at the piano.

While at the Berkshire center, Miss Endich made such an impact in



SARAMAE ENDICH

... an important discovery

opera that Boris Goldovsky engaged her to sing the leading soprano role in Debussy's "Pelleas and Melisande" with the New England Opera Theatre in Boston during the winter season.

These opera and recital appearances have marked the emergence of Saramae Endich as one of the finest of the younger generation of American singers.

JOAN WOOLLEY CHAPPEL, her husband, Dr. A. T. Chappel, and their two children, Devon, 5, and Christopher, 3, live in Franklin, Indiana.

1944

ADAH RUTH DULTON, supervisor of the Bacteriology Laboratory of University Hospital in Columbus, is editor of *The Bulletin*, official publication of the Ohio Society of Medical Technologists.

1945

BARBARA RAMSEY GREYER teaches vocal music in three Hammond, Indiana public schools.

1946

JOHN HENLE, a federal health worker, has accepted the position of director of rehabilitation at the Ohio Tuberculosis Hospital in Columbus.

LOUIS VENDITTI finished work for his master's degree at Kent State University this summer. He is a teacher and coach at East Liverpool High School.

GILBERT M. SEAT has been appointed assistant production manager of the Rollman Advertising Agency, Cincinnati.

1948

ALFRED SOLTESZ has completed a tour of duty as a Captain in the Air Force and has returned to work with his former employer, the Wheeling Steel Corporation, where he is a production engineer. His home is in Yorkville, Ohio.

W. L. TRIMBLE is office manager of the Winchester, California branch of the Repeating Arms Company, a division of Olin Industries, Inc.

PATRICIA BRIDER has received her Master of Arts degree from the graduate school of Arts and Sciences at New York University.

MELVIN R. SMITH (MEd, '50), principal of the Hasbrouch Heights (N. J.) Public Schools, is a candidate for the Doctors Degree in Education at Columbia University, where he has been appointed to Kappa Delta Pi, Educational Honorary. He was also recently appointed vice-president of the Cragmere Holding Corporation, and is the owner of a Dairy Queen and Restaurant.

1949

THOMAS D. DONKIN, a time study engineer with the International Harvester Company, was elected mayor of South Vienna, Ohio last January. Mrs. Donkin is the former Alice Shultz, '48.

GEORGE W. PECKHAM is an engineer for the Chattanooga Glass Company in Chattanooga, Tenn.

JAMES ROY ARNOLD is employed in the Public Relations Department of the Ohio Power Company, Canton.

WILLIAM B. GRINDERENG has been accepted for admission to Yale University where he will do graduate work this year in the Department of Architecture.

ROBERT L. DAVIS has been appointed district office manager of the Ohio Farmers Companies, with his offices in Jackson, Ohio.

H EADING AN INDUSTRIAL plant which employs almost 500 persons, has a total investment exceeding \$3,000,000, a sales division operating in all 48 states, and export assembly plants in five foreign countries, is a young man who graduated from Ohio University just five years ago.

He is Dwayne A. Shields, '49, a native of Lima, and now general manager of the Superior Coach Corporation — Southern Division, in Kosciusko, Mississippi.

On January 1 of this year, the former OU student was named to the top position at the southern plant which produces school buses, passenger busses, and funeral coaches. Associated with the corporation since graduation, he had previously held the positions of Chief Clerk to the Works Manager at the parent plant in Lima, and Assistant General Manager at the Mississippi plant, which was built in 1951 and represents the latest in construction and production layout.

As general manager, Mr. Shields holds a position that can be likened to a corporation president in that he is responsible for three corporate phases — sales, financial, and production policy and control. He reports directly to the corporation president, and, although the Kosciusko plant is a division, its structural set up is more like a separate corporation, with its own sales division and distributor organizations.

Mr. Shields and his wife, Patricia Ann, have two sons, Steven Alan, six, and Mark Barlow, three. An active leader in civic affairs, the 29-year-old executive is vice-president



DWAYNE A. SHIELDS
... a rapid ascent

and director of the Kosciusko Chamber of Commerce, county director of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, and director of the Kosciusko Golf Club. He is a former director of the Rotary Club of that city, and last year was selected by local civic clubs as nominee for Mississippi's outstanding young man for 1953.

Also in 1953 he served as director of the Mississippi Economic Council and chairman of the Economic Education Committee. The council, with a membership of 2500 persons and organizations, is similar to a state chamber of commerce, and is the most powerful political voice of any organization in the state.

Before coming to Ohio University, Mr. Shields spent two and one-half years as a Carpenters Mate in the U. S. Navy Seabees.

RICHARD DEMBY, recently discharged from the service, has joined the staff of John B. Kinter, realtor, in Elyria.

DOROTHY BROWN KNUTSIN (Mrs. Norman S.) and her husband have moved from Staten Island, N. Y. to Dayton, where Mr. Knutsin is employed by the Timmons Construction Co.

DR. DON R. JOHNSON has established medical practice in Nelsonville. Mrs. Johnson is the former MAXINE BECKER.

LARRY FALBO (MEd, '54), coach at Shady-side High School, has been named coach of the Eastern Ohio All-Star baseball team which will face the Western All-Stars in an annual game next summer.

JIM CAMPBELL (MEd, '54), coach of Clar-ington (Ohio) High School for the past five years, has taken over head basketball and baseball and assistant football coaching duties at Powhatan (Ohio) High School.

1950

HAROLD SCHWENDEMAN received a Doctor of Medicine degree at June Commencement

exercises of the University of Cincinnati Medical College.

ALDEN A. WINTERSTELLER is a photographer in the Gainsborough Studio, Sandusky, Ohio. The Wintersellers have three children, Alan Andrew, 4, Kevin Drew, 3, and Mary Carol, 2.

ROLAND HERMAN IMES is doing graduate work at Ohio State.

GEORGE R. WEBSTER is employed by the Hawaiian Commercial Sugar Co. in Puunene, Maui, Territory of Hawaii. He is in charge of the installation of all instrumentation and controls on the installation of a 150,000 pound per hour, 900 psig steam generator station and a 7500 KW turbogenerator.

WILLIAM R. WHITE has been named athletic coach at the Scipio High School in Harrisonville, Ohio.

PAUL C. HENLEIN, a graduate student at the University of Wisconsin, is the author of "Cattle Driving from the Ohio Country, 1800-1850" which appeared in the April issue of Agricultural History.

PAUL E. MAPLE is a member of the faculty of McClain Junior-Senior High School, Greenfield, Ohio.

THEODORE E. MCFARLAN and JACK B. APPLE received Master's degrees at June Commencement exercises of the University of Pittsburgh.

DOROTHY LASHER presented an award named after her famous ancestor, Sarah Siddons, to Beatrice Lillie July 4 at the Ambassador Hotel East, Chicago. Miss Lillie was chosen by the Sarah Siddons Society as the most distinguished actress who appeared in Chicago during the past season.

1951

WILLIAM SENFT has been hired as a coach and teacher at Bladensburg (Ohio) High School.

MAXINE STANEART, instructor of home economics at Carbon Hill, will also teach the subject at Murray City High this year, dividing her time daily between the schools.

VINCENT A. GALLO has accepted a job teaching in San Francisco after teaching two years in Bedford, Ohio.

HENRY W. LOTTERBERRY is free lance writing in Los Angeles.

RICHARD LEE BURNS received the Bachelor of Sacred Theology degree from Boston University in June and is pastor of the Methodist Church of Sunbury, Ohio.

IRIS E. CONNETT, formerly with the Ohio State Journal, is now private secretary to the Superintendent of the Works Laboratory at the Pike County Atomic Energy Plant.

DAVID WINEFORDNER is the new athletic coach at Corey-Rawson (Ohio) High School.

HELEN JOAN HANNUM is a social worker at Camp Algonquin, Illinois.

CHARLES W. LYONS has been promoted from crew foreman to superintendent of custom landscaping for the Henry C. Soto Corp., Los Angeles.

WENDELL E. MATHEWS has been discharged from the service, and is studying law at the University of Michigan.

RUDY MEDEVIC is employed in the Production Planning office of the Towmotor Corporation, Cleveland.

SARA LEE ROACH is a first grade teacher at Logan.

WANDA LEE WILLIAMS HUGHES is teaching high school at Grapeville, Ohio.

JAMES D. GILBERT is band director at Cambridge High School.

NANCY SIMERAL is teaching fourth grade in the Wayne Township (Ohio) School.

NANCY GRISSOM, youth counselor for the past year at the Akron YWCA, has just returned from a three-month tour of Europe with a group of students and teachers who were awarded Lisle Fellowships. She will study this year at the Garrett Biblical Institute in Evanston, Ill. in preparation for a career in youth work.

CAROLYN E. SCHROEDER is a junior executive trainee with the Higbee Company, Cleveland.

J. MACK GAMBLE (MA '54), elementary principal of the Clarington (Ohio) Public

Schools, has conducted a weekly column in the *Waterways Journal*, river trade paper, for the past 37 years.

NANCY CANFIELD WISE (Mrs. Harry W.) is living in California while her husband is stationed at Camp Pendleton as a Navy dentist.

1952

WILLIAM H. PRICE II, recently discharged from the Army after serving in Korea, has been elected a director of the Gibsonburg Lime Products Co. Board of Directors and will represent the company in the Southern territory.

JOHN F. MILAR received the degree of Master in Business Administration from Harvard University at the June Commencement.

GABRIEL I. OLU'ONYE is employed by the Genesee County, Michigan Road Commissioner and is designing roads and small bridges. After a few months more of this work he plans to return to Nigeria to practice civil engineering in his native country.

MARGARET CLENNIN ERNST CHASSON received the degree of Master of Arts at the University of Missouri in June.

JACK GILBERT, sports editor of the *Athens Messenger* has been awarded a National Association of College Baseball Writers' citation for the best straight news coverage of college baseball for papers of less than 50,000 circulation. He also received honorable mention for column and feature writing during 1954, being one of two writers in the nation to receive two awards.

JOHN BUTURAIN, who heads the Industrial Arts Department of St. John Cantius High School in Cleveland, has appeared twice on television with his class. He did graduate work at Kent this summer.

1953

ROBIN D. SMITH, JR., formerly a teacher at Big Walnut High School in Sunbury, Ohio, is teaching Industrial Arts at Chatfield, Ohio.

CHARLES McDONALD has been employed as head football coach at Middleport High School.

RICHARD COWDEN is graduate assistant in Botany at OU, and Mrs. Cowden, the former CAROLYN DONNELL, is high school English instructor at Murray City.

ELAINE CLAIRE BARRICK is receptionist for the Goodyear Atomic Corporation at Portsmouth.

FRANK DiMATTIA is an expiditer for the Ferro Corporation, Newark, N. J.

MARK A. SERPHOS received the degree of Master of Science with a major in Accounting at the June Commencement of Columbia University, and is returning to his native Aruba in the Netherlands West Indies.

1954

MARILYN CRAVER GUTHRIE (Mrs. George) is teaching at Westloun Kindergarten in Warren, Ohio.

JAMES DIEHL has been named principal of the Pomeroy High School.

MARCIA CRAIG is probation counselor for the Lucas County Family Court Center, Toledo.

NEW UNIVERSITY photographer and chief photographer for the *Alumnus*, is Douglas J. Wetherhalt, '51, M.S. '54. A former photographer-reporter for the Cambridge Jeffersonian and the Gallipolis Tribune, Wetherhalt also contributed several photos to the *Alumnus* while doing graduate work at OU.



DORIS B. NEWMARK is a dietetic intern at Mills College in Oakland, California.

ALFRED E. WESTON is employed by the RCA Service Company of Alexandria, Virginia.

—Marriages—

ANNETTA COFFEY, '52, Creston, to FRED L. MECK, '54, Bucyrus, May 30.

AILEEN DAVIES, '47, The Plains, to Frederick Scott Simmons, New York University graduate, Weehawken, N. J., June 26. At home: 13304 First Ave., East Cleveland.

ARAL MAE MEISEL, '53, Cleveland Heights, to Martin Neiditz, Cleveland, Fenn College graduate, June 20. At home: 618 Seijomachi, Tokyo, Japan.

GAIL SHELLENBERGER, '47, New York, to Daniel Fetter, New York, July 17. At home: 610 W. 116th St., New York, N. Y.

PATRICIA ANN STERN, '49, Girard, to Harold M. Brown, Shaker Heights, Rochester Institute of Technology graduate, June 6. At home: 16904 Throckley Ave., Cleveland.

Jane DeBertrand to FRANCIS E. MOORE, '49, Toledo, May 22. At home: 130 22nd St., Toledo.

ROWLAND C. CONGDON, a 1949 OU journalism graduate, has been named assistant in the news bureau, in charge of athletic publicity. A reporter for The Columbus Dispatch since graduation, Congdon succeeds Jim Justice, who is completing graduate work at the university.

BETTY ARMSTRONG, '49, Lakewood, to Eugene D. Warren, Purdue University graduate, June 5. At home: 15 Canterbury Rd., Apt. A8, Great Neck, N. Y.

DOLORES R. NEFF, '51, Cuyahoga Falls, to Thomas A. Bowman, Duluth, Minn., June 3. At home: Chinook, Montana.

GLORIA JEAN AXE, '51, Zanesville, to SAMUEL W. DAVIS, '51, E. Stroudsburg State Teachers College, June 5. At home: 1117 Allan Ave., Falls Church, Va.

MIRIAM PESTEL, '54, Columbus, to Don Wickerham, June 27. At home: 915 N. Nelson Rd., Columbus.

Janet Sue Kelsey, Lakewood, Purdue University graduate, to Lt. RICHARD B. WERNER, '53, Lakewood, June 19.

C. JEAN STEPHENSON, '50, Parma, to Dr. Robert J. Wallace, Ohio State graduate, June 19. At home: 5317 Knollwood Dr., Apt. 2, Parma.

SHIRLEY J. MONTGOMERY, '54, Mansfield, to Lt. RAYMOND J. STRETCH, '53, Columbus, July 24.

MARILYN CHANDLER, '54, Lakewood, to JOSEPH E. KUBINYI, '54, Ashland, August 8.

Katherine Sarrocco, Ravenna, to BERNARD BRUMTER, '51, Wooster, June 26.

Barbara Brown, Shaker Heights, to STANLEY ELSNER, '54, Shaker Heights, July 7.



READY TO PITCH southpaw style is one-year-old Douglas Bryce Brown, son of Milton C. Brown, '49, and Mrs. Brown (Grace Esterhoy, '49). Mr. Brown is with the Euclid Division of General Motors in Cleveland.

Faith K. Johnson, Painesville, to CLARENCE L. MACKAY, '54, Painesville, July 24.

Carole A. Dillon, Crestline, to WILLIAM F. LOCKHART, '54, Crestline, July 31. At home: 17418 Harland Ave., Cleveland.

Virginia Lee Davis, Marietta, to LT. JOHN R. BUZZARD, '53, Marietta, May 31.

VIRGINIA SHETTER, '54, Charleston, W. Va., to Lt. Rembrandt B. Snyder, Charleston, W. Va., Northwestern University graduate, Dec. 30, 1953.

Joan C. Everson, Atlas, Wisconsin, to EDWARD P. PHILLIPS, '52, Mt. Sterling, June 28.

EDITH LeMOYNE SMITH, '54, Seneca Falls, N. Y., to MERLYN ROSS, '53, South Point, June 18.

MARCIE MAE BECKER, '53, Eaton, to LT. ROBERT B. SMITH, '53, Zanesville, May 22.

Mary Louise Beck, Circleville, to JAMES R. LYTLE, '51, Circleville, June 13.

Janice E. Croteau, Milan, N. H., Boston University graduate, to Rev. CHARLES DEE KIRSCH, '50, New Boston, July 3.

JOAN HELEN RUTH, '52, Sandusky, to CHARLES L. WELTON, '52, Oberlin, July 17. At home: 116½ Bellefield Ave., Elyria.

JOY MAHAN, '53, Hagerstown, Md., to BRUCE M. Allen, Jr., Columbus, June 18.

SUZANNE GEILER, '53, Akron, to ROBERT MILLS, '50, Athens, June 19. At home: 2260 Mobile Rd., Cleveland Heights.

Carole T. Donaldson, Newark, to ALFRED S. CARPENTER, '51, Athens, associated with Zettler's Hardware (Bexley), July 24. At home: 444 W. Broadway, Granville.

Shirley Schindler, Shanesville, to DALE E. ROYER, '51, Orrville, July 25. At home: Orrville.

ANNE LOUISE MAXWELL, '50, to Ramon Arthur Wood, July 18. At home: 3332 Cabrillo St., San Francisco.

SALLIE ANN ADSIT, '54, to LOWELL E. ANDERSON, '54, August 21. At home: 1573 Robinwood Ave., Lakewood.

NORMA ANNE MAREK, '53, Columbus, to Harold L. Hall, Westerville, Ohio State graduate, June 13. At home: 3017 Chesterfield Ct. Apt. 7, Columbus.

JOAN R. RENEE, '54, Cleveland, to Arthur P. Stein, Beachwood Village, June 13.

DENE SIMPSON, '52, Cecil, to Stanley W. Borg, Seattle, Wash., June 19.

Mary Lee Grauman, Fairborn, to RICHARD W. BAUGHMAN, '50, Albany, July 11. At home: 611 Franklin Ave., Columbus.

PHYLLIS ELAINE WINEMILLER, Crestline, to DONALD A. ROWE, '52, Mansfield, June 12. At home: 35 Baldwin Ave., Mansfield.

BARBARA ANN SMITH, '53, Cleveland Heights, to W. James Dunn, Youngstown, July 2.

JUDITH ANN BROWN, Amherst, to LT. JOHN B. HANNEN, '53, Steubenville, June 26.

THELMA M. SHOTT, '50, El Dorado Springs, Mo., to SCOTT C. Roe, June 13. At home: R. 3, El Dorado Springs, Mo.

MARTHA JO BETTS, '53, Nelsonville, to Robert L. Fick, Nelsonville, August 8. At home: 224 Fort St., Nelsonville.

EDITH EMILY HUMPHREY, '25, Frostburg, Md., to Theodore Thompson Reed, Pomeroy, July 25.

Mrs. Anastasia Tropeano to EUGENE VAN DER HOEVEN, '46, Fillmore, N. D., August 25.

DORIS PETERSON, '51, to Jack C. Vogt, Cleveland, August 14. At home: Apt. 3, 5340 Knollwood Dr., Parma.

Joan Kay Young, Richwood, W. Va., Berea College graduate, to STUART M. RICH, '50, VIRGINIA LEE ASHTON, '54, to THOMAS E. CHESSEY, Athens, July 4.

MARY ATHEARN, '54, to LT. ROBERT E. MATSON, '52, Chaucery, June 27.

Sue Ann Stiles, Dayton, to ROBERT C. FINLEY, '51, Dayton, June 12. At home: 1906 Elsmere Ave., Dayton.

Joan C. Everson, Luck, Wisconsin, to EDWARD P. PHILLIPS, '52, Mt. Sterling, student at Garrett Biblical Seminary, (Evanston, Ill.), June 26.

JANICE WALLER, '51, Cumberland, to DAVID E. DAVIS, '51, Youngstown, salesman, Steel City Chevrolet, June 12. At home: 6948 Baxton Rd., Boardman.

Norma Jean Marchi, Columbus, College of St. Marys of the Springs graduate, to WILLIAM R. MNICH, '50, station manager WBEX, Chillicothe, June 5. At home: 383 N. High, Chillicothe.

Mary Ann Cote, Willoughby, to A. KARL KOENIG, '51, Willoughby, June 26. At home: 5176 Robinhood Dr., Willoughby.

JANE E. CRANMER, '47, Mt. Vernon, to Evan E. Lutt, Cincinnati, Iowa State College graduate, July 17. At home: 3429 Berry Ave., Cincinnati.

Lieutricia Schueler, Hamilton, to ROBERT L. DAVIS, '49, Jackson, July 30.

MARION H. YANITY, '52, Athens, to WILLIAM A. LAVELLE, '49, Athens, attorney, August 7. At home: 353 Richland Ave., Athens.

M. PATRICIA COOK, '53, Cortland, to NORMAN K. AMIDANO, '54, East Cleveland, July 17.

MARGARET ANN GILLEN, '52, Wellston, to WILLIS W. DENNY, '50, Logan, teacher, July 23. At home: 594 N. Market St., Logan.

Births

Jack Lynn to LT. JACK L. VAN LEAR, '54, and Mrs. Van Lear, 3007 Dudley Ave., Parkersburg, W. Va., August 20.

Gary Robert to RICHARD W. DiBARTOLO, '50, and Mrs. Di Bartolo (HARRIET MORGAN, '50), 19508 Cherrywood Lane, Warrensville Heights, July 11.

Kenneth Lawrence to CHESTER C. GOBER, '41, and Mrs. Gober (BETTE PARCE, '41), 5931 Brookside Rd., Cleveland, May 16.

Peter Frederick to Mr. and Mrs. Peter F. Klein (CARLA CLARK, '48), 67 Green End Ave., Hillside Cottage #4, Newport, R. I., May 31.

Nancy Lou to ROBERT N. KINNEY, '42, and Mrs. Kinney (BETTY RAE STITT, '47), 4230 Stilmore Rd., South Euclid, May 20.

David Sheldon to JOHN S. WRIGHT, '51, and Mrs. Wright (Ellen Nichols, '52), 3993 W. 140th St., Cleveland.

Ann Christine to Dr. JAMES F. BEATTIE, '49, and Mrs. Beattie (ELLA FRANKLIN, '48), 71 W. 11th Ave., Columbus.

Susan Lynn to DON GARROD, '50, and Mrs. Garrod, Box 371, North Bend Rd., Cincinnati, April 9.

Janet Irene to WILLIAM A. JOHNSON, '51, and Mrs. Johnson (LOIS A. HARSTINE, '50), 1197 Sarlson, Akron, August 1.

Lynne Deborah to VINCENT C. TALLEY, '50, and Mrs. Talley (PHYLLIS PATTERSON, '50), 26 Orchard Dr., Scotia, N. Y., May 18.

YOUNG STEVEN ALAN HUNT has a few words for the photographer as he poses for his five-months-old portrait. Born in December, 1953, he is the son of James E. Hunt, '49, and Mrs. Hunt, of Toledo.



Susan Ilcen to ROBERT W. SCANNELL, '51, and Mrs. Scannell, 309 E. Verdugo, Burbank, California, February 15.

John Wayne to ORA J. MILLER, '49, and Mrs. Miller, 221 Zillah St., Celina, June 7.

Claudia to DWIGHT E. REDD, '48, and Mrs. Redd (BILLIE JEAN WESTFALL, '48), 826 Chestnut St., Ashland, August 18.

Jon Karl to RICHARD NOLL, '50, and Mrs. Noll (JANYCE J. SCHNELL, '51), 7380 Avon-Belden Rd., North Ridgeville, June 6.

Lucinda to ERCOLO PICCIANO, '52, and Mrs. Picciano (MARY ANN DYE, '51), 683 E. Second St., Chillicothe, August 28.

Gail Cindy to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Harrow (ELEANOR D. HIRSCHSON, '48), 1935 E. 4th St., Brooklyn 23, N. Y., July 22.

Albert C. III, to Lt. ALBERT C. GUBITZ, '52, and Mrs. Gubitz (SALLY ANN PETER, '53), R. 3, Petersburg, Va., August 28.

Susan Lynn to Mr. and Mrs. Donald L. Slagle (DONNA J. BUCK, '51), 57 Hudson Ave., Athens, July 27.

Richard Albert to ALBERT T. WATKINS, '36, and Mrs. Watkins, 9 Michael Rd., Park Forest, Ill., July 13.

Catherine Anne to SYLVESTER W. BIES, '53, and Mrs. Bies, 62 Byram Terrace Dr., Greenwich, Conn., August 3.

Ronald Paul to Mr. and Mrs. Anton Vargo (INGRID OLSON, '42), 277 Meriden Rd., Painesville, March 26.

Stephen Richard to RICHARD H. BURGER, '51, and Mrs. Burger (LOUISE A. MNICH, '50), 13601 Othello Ave., Cleveland, April 13.

Peter Joseph to PHILLIP M. DAUGHERTY, '48, and Mrs. Daugherty (MAE ROEDER, '49), 317 Home Park Ave., N.W., Atlanta, Ga.

Hugh Barkley, II, to Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Barkley Show (PHYLLIS J. KITINOJA, '51), 1704 Northwest Blvd., Columbus, June 8.

Twins, Lissa Ann and Lorey Louise, adopted by GEORGE L. DUNLAP, '48, and Mrs. Dunlap (BETTY A. GLENN, '48), 818 S. West St., Findlay, May 28.

Wilma Marie to MICHAEL SLEZAK, '51, and Mrs. Slezak, 1411 Seventh St., Mounts-ville, W. Va., July 27.

Robert Mark to JOSEPH G. McMILLAN, '44, and Mrs. McMillan (JEAN IRWIN, '46), 2227 Harshman Blvd., Springfield, July 20.

William Bayer to CHARLES SCOTT MARTINDILL, '40, and Mrs. Martindill, 4102 Arthing-ton Blvd., Indianapolis, Ind., March 27.

Anna Marie to CHARLES H. COURTNEY, '50, and Mrs. Courtney (ZENOVIA PUKAY, '46), Chauncey, August 8.

Robin to ROBERT O. CARBONI, '51, and Mrs. Carboni (MARY JANE KRALL, '53), Mahoning Ave., Ext., Warren, February 2.

Deborah Ann to Dr. DON R. JOHNSON, '49, and Mrs. Johnson (MAXINE BECKER, '49), 20 E. Franklin, Nelsonville, February 10.

Marta Marlene to EMERSON W. HEISLER, '52, and Mrs. Heisler, 2388 14th St., Cuyahoga Falls, February 2.

David Victor to Dr. VICTOR C. WHITACRE, '44, and Mrs. Whitacre (RUTH HELEN DOUGAN, '44), Beverly, May 18.



CLOSING IN for a friendly left job is Mark Carroll Christmyer, son of Robert E. ('50) and Mrs. Christmyer. The robust boy was born December 5, 1952. His dad is editor of The Mionisburg (O.) News.

Steven to PAUL GAPP, '50, and Mrs. Gapp (FLORENCE MRAZ, '50), 294-6 N. Roosevelt Court, Columbus, May 4.

Cheryl Ann to JAMES P. BANKS, '50, and Mrs. Banks, 2036 Canton Rd., Akron, March 24.

Robert Dale to Lt. ROBERT D. LIVINGSTON, '54, and Mrs. Livingston (VAN THOMORSKY, '53), 38 Elm Ave., Hondo, Texas, April 28.

Robert Alan to ROBERT C. MARKS, '54, and Mrs. Marks (MARILYN STRAWN, '53), 225 E. Xenia Dr., Fairborn, May 19.

Craig Robert to CHESTER F. ADAMS, '39, and Mrs. Adams (VIRGINIA BECKER, '40), 16316 Invermere, Cleveland 28, March 26.

James Harrison to JAMES H. L. ROACH, '37, and Mrs. Roach (PATRICIA PALMER, '41), 835 Ponce de Leon Ave., Montgomery, Ala., April 16.

Bruce Edward to Dr. and Mrs. LeRoy Doctor (CAROL KOMIE, '51), 514 Addison St., Chicago, Ill., June 3.

Barbara Ann to HARRY G. FABE, '49, and Mrs. Fabe, 4513 Barbara Pl., July 15.

Lorie Ellen to Mr. and Mrs. Jean A. Gross (CAROL A. SPIEGLE, '47), 2427 Centinela, Apt. M., Santa Monica, Calif., April 19.

Jan Elizabeth to Lt. and Mrs. Merl Sayers (PEGGY SHEARD, '48), 131 Shadylawn St., Biloxi, Miss., April 20.

Laura Lynn to DONALD C. TESKE, '52, and Mrs. Teske, 150 Marks Blvd., Pittsburgh, California, June 24.

Judith Elaine to Mr. and Mrs. Albert D. Wismar (RUTH MCCULLOUGH, '37), 3014 Coleridge Rd., Cleveland Heights, April 2.

Gregory Alan to LEONARD D. FISHER, '49, and Mrs. Fisher, 297 South St., Jackson, May 19.

Linda Sue to JAMES F. MINOR, '52, and Mrs. Minor, 941 Elizabeth Ave., Columbus, June 4.

Kyle to ERNEST K. KOPECKY, '49, and Mrs. Kopecky (MAXINE AGGER, '49), 20851 Crystal Ave., Euclid, June 1.

Robin Lynn to BURTON MELCHER, '48, and Mrs. Melcher (HELENE R. WOODSTEIN, '48), 741 Roessner Dr., Union, N. J., July 3.

Robert Dwight to Mr. and Mrs. Dwight J. Miller (MARTHA ANN REISE, '50), Oak Hill, April 5.

Brooks Alan to DONALD M. COMPTON, '44, and Mrs. Compton (MARTHA FISHER, '44), 10 Vermeer Dr., Dayton, June 9.

Heidi to Dr. Tom D. Rose and Mrs. Rose (EUDICE GITTELSON, '50), 15 East Cottage St., Chagrin Falls, June 27.

—Deaths—

MRS. ROBERT FELTON (Janet McCulloch, '43) died June 6 at her home in Point Pleasant. Surviving are her husband, two children, a brother, and a sister.

HARRY R. BOWMAN, '30, M.S. '38, a teacher in Sandusky High School, died June 13, after a brief illness. Surviving are his wife, Jennie Maxwell Bowman, a brother, and three sisters.

DAISY HERROLD, '19, a retired Athens County teacher, died June 13 at the home of her sister in Detroit. She is survived by three sisters and three brothers.

GORDON B. RUTH, '31, principal of the Shade elementary school for the past two years, died unexpectedly on May 17. Survivors include his wife, Lois, two children, a sister, and two brothers.

CATHERINE E. CAMPBELL, '42, former educational director for the American Red Cross in Japan, and an elementary school teacher in Morenci, Arizona for the past six years, died May 4. Surviving are her parents and a twin sister, Miss Jean Campbell of Denver.

MRS. MARIAN DANFORD BECKLER, '37, died May 11 in a Los Angeles hospital, where she had been taken for observation prior to brain surgery. She is survived by her husband, B. F. Beckler, Jr., '32, two daughters, her mother, and four sisters.

JOEL CALVIN OLDT, '11, a prominent figure in education in greater Cleveland and former mayor of Put-in-Bay, died July 16.

GLENN SMITH, '20, credit manager of the Nelson Furniture Store in Columbus, died at his home August 16. He is survived by his wife, Florence, two daughters, a brother, and his father.

MRS. RICHARD C. SEARS, '25, a teacher for seven years in the Shaker Heights elementary schools, died July 11. She leaves her husband and two sons.

MRS. DANIEL TISCHLER (Louise Cohn, '43), of Atlanta, a former Youngstown school teacher, died July 7. Besides her parents and her husband, she leaves two daughters and a brother.

MRS. MARTINA RILEY CAVE, '01, died July 19 at her home in Columbus. Surviving are three sons and five grandchildren.

VERA VIRGINIA ROBERTS, '17, of Cleveland Heights, died July 18. She is survived by her mother and a sister.

RAYMOND F. NESS, '37, proprietor of a children's clothing shop in Newark, died May 29 as the result of an accident in his yard. Surviving are his wife, Alvania, a daughter, a son, his parents, a brother, and a sister.

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